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EXECUTIVE V.P./GENERAL MANAGER

MIKE LYNN

Mike Lynn was given complete authority to run the organization in April of 1984 when he signed a five-year contract extension (through Jan. 1, 1991).

Since that time he has overseen a total restructuring of the team with significant player personnel changes. In addition, he has made three coaching changes, all key factors in rebuilding the club. After a 3-13 season in 1984 Lynn terminated Les Steckel and coaxed Bud Grant out of retirement. After Grant retired again, Lynn kept the club on its upward trek by promoting long-time offensive coordinator Jerry Burns to head coach. Meanwhile, Lynn made a series of draftroom moves that brought the Vikings additional choices or players. In 1985, 1986 and 1987 he shifted the Vikings' first-round choice in the draft to acquire additional choices or players. In 1988 he swapped second-round picks with Denver and received two additional picks. And in 1989 he traded Minnesota's first-round choice (the 24th overall pick) to the Pittsburgh Steelers for three-time Pro-Bowl linebacker Mike Merriweather. During this time he made trades for the rights to Anthony Carter, Gary Zimmerman and Rich Gannon. He brought Keith Millard back from the USFL. He got David Howard in the supplemental draft. From 1984 through 1988 21 players were added to the roster from the draft while 7 were added from the USFL. In total, during this period, Lynn added 39 new players via trades, drafts, waivers and free agent signings. As a result, the Vikings compiled three consecutive winning seasons and qualified for the playoffs the last two years, losing both times to the eventual Super Bowl Champions.

Lynn is entering his 16th year with the Vikings. Since his arrival in 1974, the Vikings have been in the playoffs nine out of the past 15 years and have won six Central Division titles and played in two Super Bowls. He was a key factor in the Twin Cities being selected as host of the 1992 Super Bowl. He was the club's "ramrod" in the effort to build a new stadium — the Hubert H. Humphrey Metrodome — in Minneapolis. And he supervised the financing and planning of the Vikings office/training facility. Under his direction the Vikings were the first to play an exhibition game in England (vs. St. Louis, 1983) and the first to play a game on the continent of Europe (in Sweden vs. Chicago, 1988). Perhaps his proudest accomplishment was the founding of the Viking Children's Fund in 1978. Since that time the fund has awarded over one million dollars for childhood disease research to the University of Minnesota department of pediatrics and hundreds of thousands of dollars to 69 other child-related charities.

In addition to his overall responsibility of the Minnesota Vikings, he is also active in decision-making on a league-wide basis. He is a member of the NFL planning committee, serves on the executive committee of National Football League Properties, represents the owners on the Bert Bell retirement board, and is a trustee of the funding arm of NFL Charities. In 1989 he was also named a committee member of the newly formed World League/American Football.

Lynn's involvement with the NFL began in 1965 when he formed a group that sought a franchise for Memphis, Tenn. But Memphis chose to cast its lot with the World Football League and Lynn applied for a job with the Vikings.

Lynn was born in Scranton, Pa., May 18, 1936, and attended Morris Hills Regional High School in New Jersey and Pace University in New York City.

He and his wife Jorja, live on Lake Minnetonka, a Minneapolis suburb, and have four children — Louisa 26, Robert 24, Michael, IV, 20, and Lucia, 12.

ASSISTANT GENERAL MANAGERS

JEFF DIAMOND, Assistant General Manager/ Administration

Jeff Diamond is in his 14th season with the Minnesota Vikings. His primary responsibilities include: sharing the player signing duties with General Manager, Mike Lynn and overseeing the daily operations of the following departments: the ticket office, stadium operations, suite sales/operations, marketing, public relations and community relations. He also manages the Vikings facility at Winter Park, coordinates the team travel and training camp, is responsible for club purchasing and assists General Manager Mike Lynn in League matters. After joining the Vikings in 1976 in the public relations department, he became the director of communications in 1978, the director of operations in 1980 and the assistant to the general manager in 1984 before being elevated to his current position in April of 1989. He is a native of St. Louis Park, Minnesota, and graduated from the University of Minnesota (where he played collegiate soccer). Jeff and his wife, Diane, have two children — Brett 7, and Brooke 4 — and live in Minnetonka, Minn.

BOB HOLLWAY, Assistant General Manager/ Football

Bob Hollway is in his 17th season with the Minnesota Vikings. He first joined the club in 1967 as the defensive coordinator. In 1969 the defense set an NFL record for fewest points allowed and led the league in eleven other categories. He left the Vikings after the 1970 season to become the head coach of the St. Louis Cardinals (1971-72). He then served as the defensive coordinator of the Detroit Lions (1973), the San Francisco 49ers (1975) and the Seattle Seahawks (1976-77). He rejoined the Vikings in 1978 again as the defensive coordinator. In 1984 he worked in research and development for the club before again serving as defensive coordinator in 1985. In 1986 he was named special assistant/football operations and in 1987 he was named the director of pro personnel. In April of 1989 he was promoted to his current position where he will head up the daily operations of the pro personnel, training and equipment departments within the club. He will also continue to be the team's advance scout. Hollway played football at the University of Michigan on three Big 10 championship teams (1947-49). After receiving his Master's degree from Michigan, he coached at the University of Maine and Eastern Michigan University, where he also was the head basketball coach. He then coached at Michigan for 14 years before joining the Vikings in 1967. He is a native of Ann Arbor, Michigan. He and his wife, Colleen, have six children — Michael 36, Anne 35, Kathleen 33, Robert 32, Bruce 30, and William 28 — and live in Edina, Minn.

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JERRY BURNS

In 1986 Jerry Burns was named head coach of the Minnesota Vikings, thus becoming only the fourth head coach in club history.

That first season he led Minnesota to a 9-7 record, finishing second in the NFC Central Division and missing the playoffs by just one game. He was the first Viking coach to have a winning season in his initial season.

In his second season, 1987, Minnesota qualified for the playoffs as a Wild-Card team with an 8-7 record, marking the first time that the Vikings had put together back-to-back winning seasons since 1977 (9-5) and 1978 (8-7-1). In the playoffs Minnesota defeated New Orleans 44-10 and San Francisco 36-24 before losing to the eventual Super Bowl Champion Washington Redskins 17-10 in the NFC Championship game.

In 1988 the Vikings finished with an 11-5 mark, the team's best regular-season since 1976. Minnesota qualified for the playoffs as the host of the Wild Card game and defeated the Los Angeles Rams 28-17 before losing the divisional playoff at San Francisco, 34-9.

Before Burns was selected as Minnesota's head coach, he had been the offensive coordinator, designing the offensive scheme and, for the most part, calling the plays. He had often been called an innovator and been credited with such things as originating the one-back offense and popularizing the short-passing game.

He has coached in six Super Bowls. As an assistant he guided the Viking offense in Minnesota's first four Super Bowls, and he was the defensive backfield coach on two winning Green Bay teams.

Burns began his coaching career at the University of Hawaii in 1951, where he served as the backfield coach for the football team and the head baseball coach. In 1952 he coached the backfield at Whittier College in California under George Allen before returning to his native Detroit in 1953 as the head football coach at St. Mary's of Redford High School. Burns was named freshman coach at the University of Iowa in 1954, varsity assistant in 1955, and backfield coach in 1957. In 1961 Burns was named head coach at Iowa when Forest Evashevski retired to become athletic director. After leaving Iowa he coached at Green Bay (1966-67) under Vince Lombardi before joining the Vikings as offensive coordinator in 1968. In 1985, Minnesota promoted him to assistant head coach.

He was born Jerome Monahan Burns on January 24, 1927, in Detroit where he was one of eight children. He attended Detroit Catholic Central High School and went on to play quarterback at Michigan where he was a member of the 1950 Rose Bowl team. Burns graduated from Michigan in 1951, with a bachelor of science degree, majoring in physical education. Bob Hollway, the Vikings' assistant general manager/football, was Burns' teammate on the 1949 Michigan team. Burns also coached Jerry Reichow, Minnesota's director of football operations, and Frank Gilliam, Minnesota's director of player personnel, while both were at Iowa.

Jerry and his wife, Marlyn, have five children—Michael (3/13/56), Erin (8/27/57), Kelly (3/31/59), Kathy (8/13/60) and Kerry (11/25/70)—and live in Eden Prairie, Minnesota.

ASSISTANT COACHES

FLOYD PETERS, Defensive Coordinator

Peters joined the Viking staff in 1986 as defensive coordinator after serving as assistant head coach at both St. Louis, where he was in charge of the defense from 1982-85, and Detroit, where he coached the defensive line for four years (1978-81). He also spent two years coaching the defensive line with both San Francisco (1976-77) and the New York Giants (1974-75). He played defensive tackle and guard at San Francisco State (1954-57) and was drafted by Baltimore in the eighth round of the 1958 draft. He played one season for the Colts and then went on to play for Cleveland (1959-62), Detroit (1963) and Philadelphia (1964-69) before joining Vince Lombardi and the Washington Redskins for the 1970 season as a player/coach. Peters was selected to three Pro Bowls while playing with Philadelphia (1964, 66 and 67) and was named most valuable lineman of the 1966 game. He was also the Eagles captain. Peters scouted for the Miami Dolphins (1971-73) before beginning his coaching career. As a coach, he has achieved a reputation for building a stellar pass rush. In 1976, at San Francisco, his line led the NFL in quarterback sacks with 61. During Peters' first season with Detroit, the Lions set a team record for sacks with 55. Detroit's line went on to average 47 sacks per season during his coaching tenure there. Peters was born May 21, 1936, in Council Bluffs, Iowa. He and his wife, Nancy, have four sons — Craig (8/7/57), Kelly (12/28/60), Dean (6/22/63) and Allen (10/8/64) — and live in Bloomington, Minn.

BOB SCHNELKER, Offensive Coordinator

Schnelker joined the Viking coaching staff in 1986 as offensive coordinator. He began his coaching career with Los Angeles (1963-65) as the Rams' receivers coach. He joined Green Bay in 1966 where he was the passing game and receivers coach until 1971. He was offensive coordinator at San Diego for two years (1972-73) before coaching Miami's receivers in 1974. In 1975, Schnelker served as Kansas City's receivers coach before being promoted to offensive coordinator, a position he held with the Chiefs for two years. He then joined Detroit (1978-81) as offensive coordinator before returning to direct the Packer offensive attack (1982-85). Schnelker was a basketball player and tight end for Bowling Green University from 1946-49. He was a 23rd-round draft choice of the Browns in 1950 and spent two years in the service before joining Cleveland in 1953. He was traded to New York in 1954, where he helped the Giants to the 1956 NFL title and played in another two NFL championships (1958-59). In 1961, the Giants traded him to the expansion Vikings. He was selected to play in the Pro Bowl following the 1958 and 1959 seasons. Schnelker coached, along with Jerry Burns, on the staff of two Green Bay championship teams (1966-67). He also directed the NFC's No. 1 offense in 1981 at Detroit and the NFC's No. 1 offense in 1983 at Green Bay. Schnelker was born October 17, 1928, in Galion, Ohio.

TOM BATTA, Tight Ends/Special Teams

Batta joined the Vikings in 1984. He coached the defensive line in 1984 and in 1985 served as a defensive assistant/kicking teams coach. In 1986 he became tight ends/special teams coach. He was defensive coordinator at North Carolina State in 1983 and at Kansas from 1979-82. Was defensive line coach at Colorado from 1974-78. Coached in the Hall of Fame Bowl (1981), Blue Bonnet Bowl (1975) and Orange Bowl (1976). He began his college coaching career at Akron University after coaching Warren Harding High School, Warren, Ohio, to the state championship. Born October 6, 1942 in Youngstown, Ohio, he attended Conneaut (Ohio) High School. Played three years of football at Kent State University and graduated with a degree in health and physical education in 1965. In 1970 he earned his Master's of Education from the University of Akron. He and his wife, Liz, have two sons — Jeff (5/13/67) and Tommy (4/9/69) — and live in Bloomington, Minn.

JERRY BROWN, Wide Receivers

Brown joined the Vikings in 1988 as an offensive assistant with the responsibility of helping to coach the receivers. In 1989 he was named wide receivers coach. Prior to accepting his position with the Vikings he served as associate head coach (1986-87), offensive coordinator (1983-87), and wide receiver coach (1980-87) at Cal State-Fullerton. He coached the defensive secondary at Eastern Illinois University (1977-79) and wide receivers, running backs and defensive backs at Roosevelt High (1973-76) in his native Kent, Ohio. He was a running back and defensive back at Northwestern (1968-71) and was named all-conference and to the Hula Bowl as a senior. Has a degree in social studies. Brown was born September 28, 1949, in Kent, Ohio, where he was a four-sport athlete at Roosevelt. He's married, wife's name is Denise, and they have two children, Jerry, Jr., and Kimberly.

JOHN BRUNNER, Running Backs

Brunner joined the Vikings in 1987 as a running backs coach. He began his pro coaching career with Detroit in 1980. He moved to Green Bay in 1983 before joining the Tampa Bay Bucs in 1984 as offensive moderator under John McKay. He was working as a pro scout for the New England Patriots (1985-86) before coming to Minnesota. He played college football at Maryland (1955-56) and then transferred to East Stroudsburg State where he played in 1958 and 1959. He graduated in 1960 and went to work as an assistant coach at Middletown High School in New York, later serving as head coach for four years. He then coached on the collegiate level for 13 years—at Villanova (1967-69), Temple (1970-73), Princeton (1974-75) and Temple again (1976-79). Brunner was born September 6, 1937, in Perkesie, Pa., and graduated from Upper Perkiomen High School. He has seven children—Scott (a former NFL quarterback), 31; Jack, 30; Penny, 29; Jan, 27; Jeff, 26; Todd, 21; and Mark, 20—and he lives in Eden Prairie, Minn.

PETE CARROLL, Defensive Backs

Carroll joined the Viking staff in 1985 as the secondary coach. He was the defensive backfield coach for the Buffalo Bills in 1984. Carroll was the assistant head coach and offensive coordinator at the University of Pacific in 1983. Was an assistant coach at North Carolina State (1980-82), Ohio State (1979), Iowa State (1978) and Arkansas (1977). He played two years (1971-72) at UOP and earned All-Pacific Coast Conference honors twice, after transferring from the College of Marin. Received his Master's degree from Pacific in 1978. Carroll was born on September 15, 1951 in San Francisco, California. He and his wife, Glena, have three children — Brennan (3/20/79), Jaime (4/12/82), and Nathan (3/24/87) — and live in Bloomington, Minn.

MONTE KIFFIN, Linebackers

Kiffin joined the Vikings in 1986 as linebacker coach. He was the linebacker coach at Buffalo for two seasons (1984-85) and a member of the Green Bay staff in 1983. Prior to that he was a college coach for 17 years. He began his coaching career at the University of Nebraska in 1966. He moved to Arkansas in 1977 as assistant head coach. After the 1979 season, he left to become head coach at North Carolina State, where he coached for three seasons (1980-82). Kiffin was born February 29, 1940, in Lexington, Neb. He was a three-year letterman at Nebraska and then played one season with Winnipeg in the CFL. He and his wife, Robin, have three children — Heidi (9/4/68), Lane (5/9/75), and Christopher (1/19/82) — and live in Bloomington, Minn.

JOHN MICHELS, Offensive Line

Michels joined the Vikings in 1967 and coached the line for his first 17 seasons with Minnesota. In 1984 he coached the running backs before returning to the offensive line coaching position in 1985. Michels played collegiately at the University of Tennessee from 1949-53, earning All-America honors in 1952. He also played for the Philadelphia Eagles in 1953 and again in 1956, following a tour of duty with the Army. He coached one year (1958) at Texas A&M before coaching Winnipeg (CFL) from 1959-66. Michels was born February 15, 1931, in Philadelphia. He and his wife, Ann, have four children — John Jr. (1/6/55), Steve (4/8/56), Lela (8/31/58) and Sarah (7/29/61) — and live in Bloomington, Minn.

DICK REHBEIN, Asst. Off. Coordinator/Passing Game

Rehbein joined the Vikings just prior to the start of training camp in 1984 as a special assistant. In 1985 he was named receivers coach. In 1989 he was named assistant offensive coordinator/passing game coach. He was the special teams coach for the LA Express (USFL) in 1984, where he also served as the assistant offensive line coach. Prior to that he coached the special teams for the Green Bay Packers (1979-83). He played center at Ripon College (Wis.) from 1973 through 1977. At Ripon he earned a degree in criminal justice. Rehbein was born November 22, 1955, in Green Bay, Wisconsin. He and his wife, Pam, have two children — Betsy (2/24/85) and Sarah (6/14/89) — and live in Chanhassen, Minn.

PAUL WIGGIN, Defensive Line

Wiggin joined the Viking coaching staff in 1985 as defensive line coach. He was head coach at Stanford University (1980-83) and did not coach in 1984, spending the year working with the Los Angeles Olympic Organizing Committee. Prior to the Stanford job, he was the defensive coordinator for the New Orleans Saints (1978-80). Also served as head coach of the Kansas City Chiefs (1975-78). Following his retirement as a player, Wiggin coached the defensive line at San Francisco (1968-73) and was then named defensive coordinator in 1974. He coached in the 1970 and 1971 Pro-Bowl games. He was a three-year starter at offensive and defensive tackle at Stanford receiving first-team All-America honors in 1955 and 1956 and played in three post-season all-star games. Played 11 seasons with the Cleveland Browns, and was selected to play in two Pro-Bowls: 1965 and 1967. Won the Browns' Player-of-the-Year award in 1966, and the Cleveland Pro Athlete-of-the-Year award in 1967. Wiggin was born on November 18, 1934 in Modesto, California. He earned his Master's degree in education from Stanford in 1959. He and his wife, Carolynn, have three daughters — Kymberly (3/22/61), Kristyn (6/6/63), and Kellie (7/4/67) — and live in Edina, Minn.

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PLAYER PERSONNEL/SCOUTING

JERRY REICHOW, Director of Football Operations

Jerry Reichow was director of player personnel for the Vikings for nine years until being named director of football operations in 1975. Reichow was an All-Big Ten quarterback at Iowa and a member of the Hawkeyes' 1955 final four basketball team. He started his pro football career at Detroit where he played wide receiver and quarterback on the Lions' 1957 championship team. He then played on the Philadelphia Eagles' 1960 championship team, quarterbacked by Norm Van Brocklin. When Van Brocklin became Vikings coach in 1961, he engineered a trade that brought Reichow to the Vikings. Reichow played wide receiver and tight end for the Vikings from 1961 until his retirement as a player in 1964. In 1961 he was selected to play in the Pro Bowl. Reichow is a native of Decorah, Iowa. He and his wife, Carolyn, have three children — Alan, Lori and Jimmie.

FRANK GILLIAM, Director of Player Personnel

Frank Gilliam joined the Vikings in 1970 as scouting director and was named director of player personnel in 1975. Gilliam played college football at Iowa, where he was a teammate of Jerry Reichow's and an All-Big Ten end and All-America in 1956. He played pro football with Winnipeg and Vancouver of the Canadian Football League and was an assistant coach at Iowa from 1966-1970. He is a native of Steubenville, Ohio. Frank and his wife, Velma, have three children — Frank Jr., Gayle and Michelle.

RALPH KOHL, Head Scout

Ralph Kohl joined the Vikings in 1978 as head scout after working for the Blesto scouting combine for 14 years. Kohl first worked as an area scout for Blesto (the combine of which the Vikings are members). He then moved up to regional scout and finally national scout, with the job of grading the top college players in the country. Kohl played on two national championship teams at Michigan in the late 1940s and signed with the Baltimore Colts before suffering a knee injury that ended his career. He coached in high school and college before becoming head coach at Eastern Illinois and then moving on to Blesto. Ralph and his wife, Dorothy, have one daughter — Jackie.

DON DEISCH, Assistant Head Scout

Don Deisch joined the Vikings in 1980. As with Head Scout Ralph Kohl, Deisch had been with the Blesto scouting organization prior to joining Minnesota. He played quarterback and defensive back at Southern Oregon. He coached and taught at Hillsboro (Ore.) High School. He also coached at Stanford and at Portland State before joining Blesto in 1976. His primary responsibility for the Vikings is the West Coast.

JOHN CARSON, Regional Scout

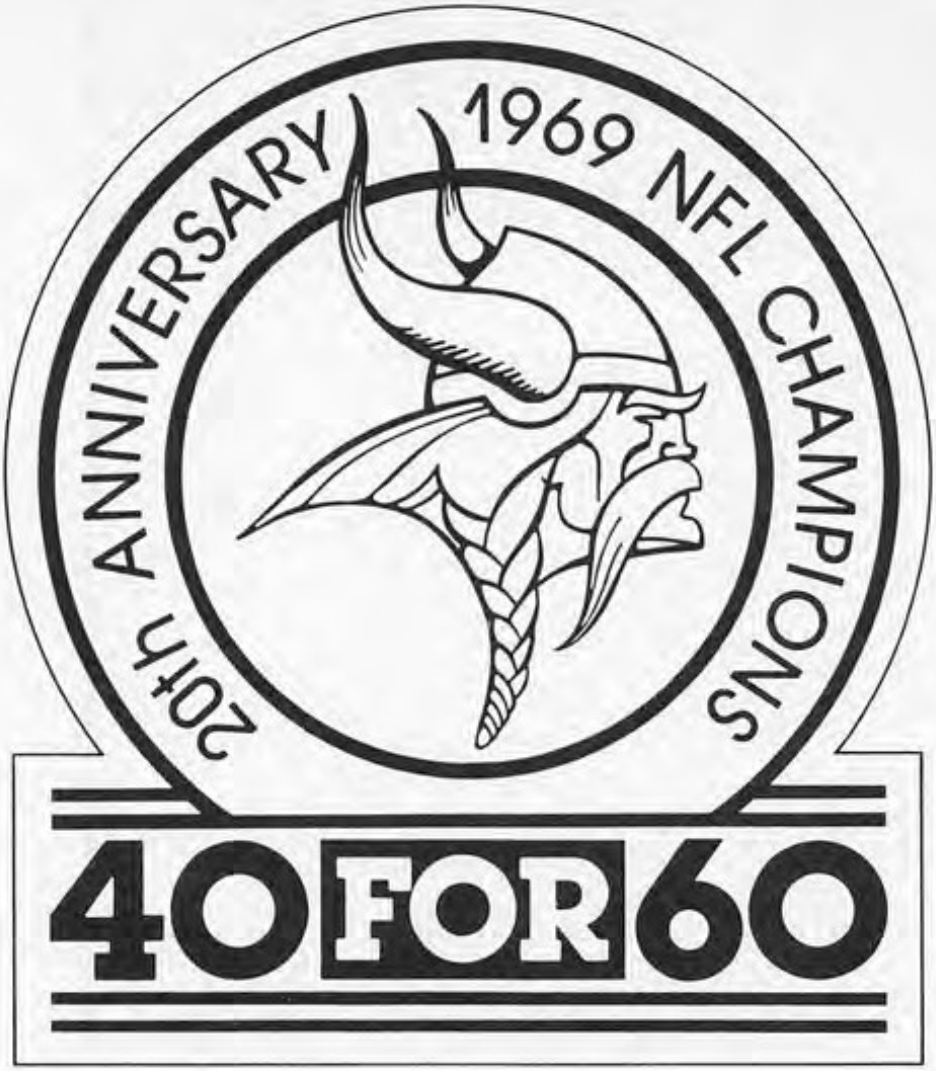
John Carson joined the Vikings in 1983 after having worked in private business for seven years. Carson was born in Atlanta and was an All-American end at Georgia. He was drafted by the Browns and played for the Redskins and Oilers. After winning the 1960 AFL championship with the Oilers, Carson left to scout for the Eagles and United. Carson and his wife, Betsy, live in Farmington, Ga., and have two children — John Jr., and Dianne.

CONRAD CARDANO, Area Scout

Conrad Cardano joined the Vikings in 1987 after working for the Blesto scouting combine as an area scout for three years. He was born in Washington, D.C. and played quarterback (1967-71) at Western Carolina University, graduating with a degree in health and physical education. He coached high school football at several schools and played football for two years in the Seabcard Pro League before serving as offensive coordinator at Catholic University in Washington D.C. from 1975 through 1978. Those teams compiled a 30-9 record over four years. He was an assistant coach at Marshall University for two years (1979-1980) before moving to Eastern Kentucky in 1981. At Eastern Kentucky he coached the receivers, tight ends, tackles and worked with the quarterbacks on teams that won two national championship games (Div. 1-AA). He then joined Blesto in 1984. In 1980 he received his Master's in education administration and supervision from Bowie (Maryland) State College. Conrad and his wife, Christina, have two children.

MURRAY WARMATH, Area Scout

Murray Warmath has worked in the Viking personnel department since 1980, primarily scouting the Upper Midwest. He coached the Viking defensive line under Bud Grant in 1978-79. He was born in Humboldt, Tennessee, and played college football at the University of Tennessee (1930-34). He began his coaching career the following year at Tennessee where he remained until 1938. Also coached at Mississippi State (1939-42), Tennessee (1946-48), and West Point (1949-51) before being named the head coach at Mississippi State (1952-53). He was named the head coach at the University of Minnesota in 1954 and coached the Gophers until 1972. His teams' won two Big 10 titles and were the 1961 national champions. Murray worked as assistant to the athletic director at Minnesota from 1972-78 before joining the Vikings' staff. He and his wife, Mary Louise, have three children and live in Edina, Minn.



Quite by accident, the Minnesota Vikings began a tradition nearly 20 years ago that remains in effect today: There has not been an official Most Valuable Viking player selected since December 17, 1969.

It was on that date that quarterback Joe Kapp, Most Valuable Player designate, stood up at an awards banquet and refused to accept the trophy.

"I know for a fact that there is no Most Valuable Viking," Kapp told an audience of 1,000. "There are 40 most valuable Vikings . . . I just can't accept this."

Kapp was a "40 for 60" guy. "It meant 40 guys — every man on the team — playing all-out for 60 minutes," Kapp said. "It meant teamwork and it meant tradition."

And now, 20 years later, the tradition is back.

The Vikings have adopted "40 for 60" as their theme for the 1989 season, the 20th anniversary of the Vikings' first NFL championship and Super Bowl appearance.

ANTHONY ALLEN 89

Wide Receiver | Washington | Born: 6/29/59
Ht: 5-11 | Wt: 182 | 5th Year (FA-89)

PRO: Signed with the Vikings (3/16/89) after playing two seasons with Washington and two seasons with Atlanta. Played in 14 games for the Redskins in 1988 and finished with five receptions for 48 yards and one touchdown. Also returned 10 punts for 62 yards. **1987:** Started all three replacement games for the Redskins and set a team single-game record with 255 yards receiving vs. St. Louis (10/4/87). **1986:** Played in the first five games of the regular season for the Falcons before injuring his knee and missing the remainder of the season. Caught ten passes for 156 yards and two TDs that year. **1985:** Played in all 16 games and caught 14 passes for 207 yards and two TDs. Was originally drafted in the sixth round by Atlanta (the 156th player chosen overall) in 1983 but decided instead to play in the USFL. Played with six (Tampa Bay, Los Angeles, Michigan, Oakland, Baltimore, and Portland) USFL teams in three seasons before signing with the Falcons in July, 1985.

COLLEGE: Originally recruited as a quarterback but moved to wide receiver and finished as the third leading receiver in school history (1,372 yards on 99 receptions). Ranked second all-time for the school in kickoff return yards (1,283) and second all-time in all-purpose yards gained. Was a four-year starter and letterman and an All-Pac 10 slection as a special teams player.

PERSONAL: Born Anthony Derrick Allen in McComb, Miss., and graduated from Garfield High School in Seattle, Wash., where he was an all-metro and all-state football and basketball player. Was the Seattle area player-of-the-year as a quarterback, wide receiver, safety and kick returner. Also ran track. His younger brother, Patrick, is a starting cornerback for the Houston Oilers. Married, wife's name is Renee. They have two daughters, Danielle (11/14/82) and Katherine (1/24/89) and live in Kirkland, Wash.

Receiving

Year	No	Yds	Avg	LG	TD
#1985	14	207	14.8	—	2
#1986	10	156	15.6	—	2
&1987	13	337	25.9	—	3
&1988	5	48	9.6	—	1
Totals:	**42**	**748**	**17.8**	**—**	**8**

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Also: Has returned 33 punts for 213 yards, a 6.5-yard average; and eight kickoffs for 140 yards, a 17.5-yard average. Recovered fumbles in 1985 and 1986.

Playoffs: Played in the NFC Championship game with the Redskins in 1987 and had one 9-yard reception. Was on the inactive list for the Super Bowl game that year.

Games played/Started: #1985 (16/-), #1986(5/-), &1987 (3/3), &1988 (14/-) **Totals:** (38/-)

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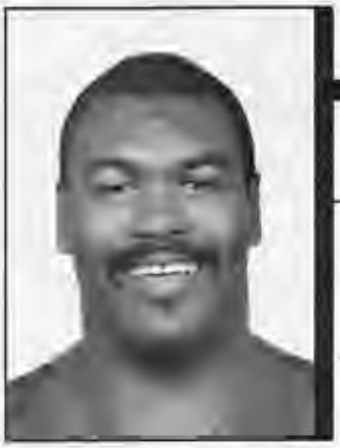


ALFRED ANDERSON 46

Running back | Baylor | Born: 8/4/61
Ht: 6-1 | Wt: 217 | 6th Year (D3-84)

PRO: His eight TDs scored led the club and tied for 10th in the NFC in 1988. Finished third on the team with 300 yards rushing on 87 attempts and fifth in receiving with 23 catches for 242 yards. The TDs, receptions, and reception yards were all personal highs. Scored two TDs in two regular season games: vs. Detroit (11/24/88) and vs. Chicago (12/19/88). Had a season-high 53 yards on the ground in that Detroit game, and a season-long 18-yard rush in the first game against Detroit (11/6/88). Led the offense with five receptions for 44 yards vs. Buffalo (9/4/88). **1987:** Ranked second on the team in rushing, led the team vs. Green Bay, (12/13/87). Scored two rushing TDs, both vs. Washington (12/26/87). **1986:** Finished second on the club in rushing, and had his first two-touchdown performance vs. Tampa Bay (11/30/86). **1985:** Was hampered with injuries and finished fourth on the team with five TDs. **1984:** Was named to the PFWA, PFW and Football Digest All-Rookie teams. Finished as the leading rookie rusher in the NFC and the second-ranking rookie rusher in the NFL. Led all Viking rushers and finished 12th in the NFL. Had a career-best rushing effort vs. Detroit (9/23/84) with 120 yards on 19 attempts. Against Philadelphia (9/9/84) he threw a 20-yard TD pass, to quarterback Tommy Kramer, and rushed for 105 yards on 20 carries. Completed three of seven passes in 1984 for 95 yards and two TDs. Was the fourth running back, and the 67th player, selected in the 1984 NFL draft.

COLLEGE: As a junior and senior led Baylor in rushing, and TDs, and set a school career record for scoring. A four-year letterman and three-year starter; played in 43 of 44 possible games. Career totals include: 2,424 yards rushing, 554 attempts, 42 pass receptions, 543 reception yards and 37 TDs. Left Baylor as the secondranked all-time rusher. College major was recreation.

PERSONAL: Born Alfred Anthony Anderson in Waco, Tex., where he attended Richfield High School. As a senior quarterback passed for 17 TDs and rushed for 14 more. Also lettered three times in basketball and four times in track. He and his wife, Monica, who is a dentist, have two boys, Alfred Jr., "Tony", (11/1/86), and Adrian Craig (3/8/89), and live in Burnsville, Minn.

Rushing

Year	Att	Yds	Avg	LG	TD
1984	*201	*773	3.8	23	2
1985	50	121	2.4	10	4
1986	83	347	T*4.2	29	2
1987	68	319	4.7	27	2
1988	87	300	3.4	18	*7
Totals:	**489**	**1860**	**3.8**	**29**	**17**

Receiving

Year	No	Yds	Avg	LG	TD
1984	17	102	6.0	28t	1
1985	16	175	10.9	54t	1
1986	17	179	10.5	37t	2
1987	6	69	9.9	22	0
1988	23	242	10.5	19	1
Totals:	**79**	**767**	**9.7**	**54t**	**5**

Also: Has completed four of nine passes for 112 yards with two TDs and one interception. Also has 33 kickoff returns for 677 yards, a 20.5-yard average, and a long of 41 yards. Has three unassisted tackles from the special teams.

Playoffs: Played in three post-season games in 1987 and rushed 18 times for 83 yards, and caught three passes for three yards; and two games in 1988 and rushed nine times for 18 yards and two TDs, and caught five passes for 46 yards.

Games played/Started: 1984 (16/14), 1985 (12/6), 1986 (16/8), 1987(10/9), 1988 (16/13)

Totals: (70/50) * Team Leader T Tied for Team Lead

RAY BERRY 50

Linebacker | Baylor | Born: 10/28/63
Ht: 6-2 | Wt: 230 | 3rd Year (D2-87)

PRO: Played in 15 games in 1988, missing the Dallas game (11/13/88) because of an injured knee, and ranked third on the special teams with 17 total tackles. Started in place of an injured Jesse Solomon vs. Los Angeles in the playoffs (12/26/88) and led the defense with eight unassisted tackles and two assists. Had six solos and one assist, while playing only the second half vs. Chicago (12/19/88). Had four tackles vs. Miami (10/2/88) while playing in place of Scott Studwell. **1987:**Played in 11 regular season and all three playoff games, primarily on special teams where he finished fourth with 10 unassisted tackles and two assists. Led the special teams with three solo tackles and one assist vs. Dallas (11/26/87). Was was the eighth linebacker, and the 44th player, selected in the 1987 college draft.

COLLEGE: Was an All-America selection, a unanimous all-conference choice, and the Southwest Conference defensive-player-of-the-year in 1986 while leading the Bear defense with 99 tackles. A four-year letterman and three-year starter who accumulated 380 total tackles. Was a second-team All-SWC selection as a junior after registering 113 tackles, three fumble recoveries, two interceptions, two blocked kicks and two forced fumbles. Named Sports Illustrated's defensive player-of-the-game after a 15-tackle performance vs. USC. Led the defense as a sophomore with 107 total tackles, including nine for losses, and had three interceptions and three sacks. Was a part-time starter in 1983 and had 61 tackles after being redshirted in 1982. Graduated with a double major in business management/real estate.

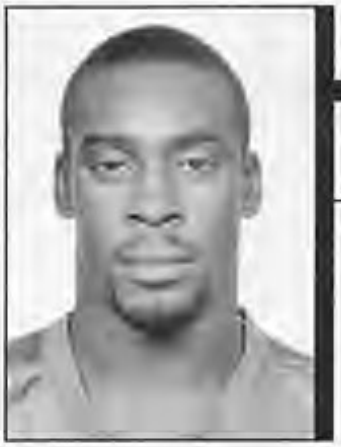
PERSONAL: Born Raymond Lenn Berry in Lovington, N.M., and attended Abilene (Tex.) Cooper High School. Was an all-distict center and linebacker and was the school's male athlete-of-the-year in 1982. Brothers, Greg and Dean, played football at Texas A & M University. Hobbies include hunting, fishing and playing golf. He is single and worked for his family-owned crude oil purchasing company during the off-season.

Year	Tackles	Assists	Total Tackles	QB Sacks	Caused Fumb.	Recvd. Fumb.	Int/Yds.
1987	10	2	12	0	0	1	0/0
1988	25	11	36	0	0	0	0/0
Totals:	**35**	**13**	**48**	**0**	**0**	**1**	**0/0**

Also: Played in three post-season games in 1987 and led the special teams with six unassisted tackles; and played in two playoff games in 1988 and totalled 19 tackles.

Games played/Started: 1987 (11/0), 1988 (15/0) **Totals:** (26/0)

Includes special teams stats.



RYAN BETHEA 85

Wide Receiver	South Carolina	Born: 3/26/64
Ht: 6-3	Wt: 206	1st Year (S5-88)

PRO: Was selected by the Vikings (9/2/88) in the fifth round of the 1988 supplemental draft and signed with the club (10/17/88). Missed the first seven games of the season; then spent two games (Tampa Bay and San Francisco) on the exempt list. Was on the inactive list vs. Detroit (11/6/88) and then spent the remaining six games of the regular season and both playoff games on injured reserve with a hamstring injury.

COLLEGE: Was a three-year letterman and two-year starter for the Gamecocks. Caught 76 career passes for 1,312 yards and seven TDs and also rushed 13 times for 117 yards and two TDs. He caught 45 passes as a junior in 1987 for 689 yards and two TDs. Caught 27 passes as a sophomore for 572 yards and five TDs. Had three receptions for 111 yards as a freshman backup. Was ruled ineligible for his senior season and applied for admittance to the supplemental draft.

PERSONAL: Born Ryan Leymone Bethea in Dillon, S.C. Attended Richland Senior High in Columbia, S.C. where he was a three-sport letterman in football, baseball and track. He is single and lives in Eden Prairie, Minn.

Playoffs: Was on the injured reserve list for each of the two playoff games at the conclusion of the 1988 season.

Games played/Started: 1988 (0/0)

JOEY BROWNER 47

Safety	USC	Born: 5/15/60
Ht: 6-2	Wt: 210	7th Year (D1-83)

PRO: Earned his second consecutive nomination to the (AP) All-Pro team, his fourth straight trip to the Pro Bowl and was also selected by the NFL Alumni Association as the defensive Player-of-the-Year for defensive backs. Tied for the team lead in fumbles recovered (two), was second in interceptions (five), third in solo tackles (80) and second in assists (45) and total tackles (125). Picked off two passes, for the second time in his career, vs. Tampa Bay (10/23/88). Led the defense twice with 11 tackles vs. Buffalo (9/4/88) and 16 tackles vs. Tampa Bay (10/9/88). Tied a club playoff record with three post-season interceptions: a pair in the first quarter, that led to an early 14-0 lead, in the Wild Card win over the Rams (12/26/88), and another vs. San Francisco (1/1/89). Entering 1989 ranked in the Viking top ten in five categories: fourth in forced fumbles (14), fifth in fumbles recovered (16), sixth in interceptions (20), eighth in assisted tackles (250) and 10th

in total tackles (751). **1987:** Was one of two Viking players named to the (AP) All-Pro team (the first Viking players to be named since Matt Blair in 1980). Earned his third consecutive Pro Bowl appearance and led the Viking defense in total tackles (131), assisted tackles (36) and interceptions (six). Was the defensive leader in six of the 12 regular season games and one of the three playoff games. Intercepted two passes, and returned them 43 yards, vs. Detroit (12/20/87). **1986:** Led the defense in total tackles, solo tackles and assists and tied for the team lead in forced fumbles and recovered fumbles. Returned one interception for a TD — 39 yards vs. Detroit (11/9/86) — and had two fumble recoveries vs. Green Bay (12/7/86). **1985:** Was one of the defensive standouts in the Pro Bowl — scoring the NFC's first TD on a 48-yard interception return. Became a Viking regular at strong safety and ranked second on the team in total tackles and led the team with five fumble recoveries, including a team record three vs. San Francisco (9/8/85). Returned an interception for a TD — a 15-yarder vs. Tampa Bay (9/15/85). **1984:** Ranked seventh on the club in total tackles and tied for the club lead with two recovered fumbles — one of which was a 63-yard TD return vs. San Diego (9/2/84). Started game one at free safety, but was switched to cornerback for the remainder of the season. **1983:** Led the special teams with 21 total tackles and ranked ninth overall on the defense with 53 tackles. Was the first defensive back ever taken by the Vikings in the first round of any NFL draft. Was the fourth defensive back, and the 19th selection overall, in the 1983 NFL draft.

COLLEGE: As a senior was selected first team All-Pac 10, (UPI) All-Coast, College and Pro Football Newsweekly second-team All-America, and (AP) third-team All-America. Played in the 1983 Japan Bowl. A four-year letterman and three-year starter who had 243 total tackles, nine interceptions, 40 passes defensed, seven fumble recoveries and three TDs (two interceptions and one punt return). Played strong safety as a freshman, cornerback as a sophomore and junior, and free safety as a senior. Played in one Rose Bowl and one Fiesta Bowl. College major was public administration.

PERSONAL: Born Joey Matthew Browner in Warren, Ohio, and attended Western Reserve High for two years. Was an all-state defensive line selection as a junior, played basketball and ran track, qualifying twice for the Ohio state meet. Moved to Atlanta where he attended Southwest High School as a senior and had 120 unassisted tackles and three interceptions earning Scholastic Coach and Parade All-America honors. Also earned the Georgia Class 3-A lineman-of-the-year and Atlanta player-of-the-year honors. His interests include music, the martial arts (he has black belts in Kenpo and Bugei kai) and outdoor activities. Owns Browner Printing in Los Angeles, Calif. His wife, Valeria, is an internationally famous model — frequently travelling to Paris, Rome and Milan. The Browners live in Mound, Minn.

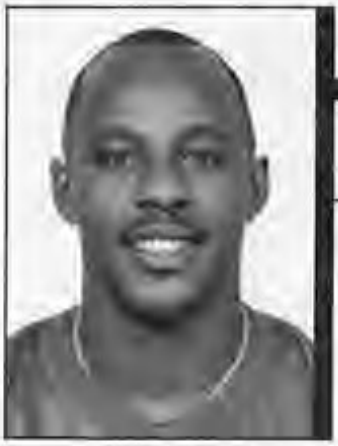
Year	Tackles	Assists	Total Tackles	QB Sacks	Caused Fumb.	Recvd. Fumb.	Int/Yds.
1983	53	26	79	2	3	2	2/0
1984	60	16	76	1	1	T*2	1/20
1985	106	82	188	1	4	*5	2/17
1986	*107	*45	*152	½	T*3	T*4	4/62
1987	95	*36	*131	1	2	1	*6/67
1988	80	45	125	0	1	T*2	5/29
Totals:	**501**	**250**	**751**	**5½**	**14**	**16**	**20/195**

Also: Returned two interceptions for TDs (vs. Tampa, 9/15/85 and Detroit, 11/9/86). Has returned one kickoff for zero yards, and one fumble 63-yards for a TD vs. San Diego, 9/12/84.

Playoffs: Played in three post-season games in 1987 and had a team-leading 32 tackles and one fumble recovery; and played in two playoff games in 1988 and had 16 total tackles, a 12-yard sack, and three interceptions for 40 yards.

Games played/Started: 1983 (16/1), 1984 (16/8),1985(16/16), 1986 (16/16), 1987 (12/12), 1988 (16/16)

Totals: (92/69) * Team Leader T tied for Team Lead Includes special teams stats.



ANTHONY CARTER 81

Wide Receiver | Michigan | Born: 9/17/60
Ht: 5-11 | Wt: 175 | 5th Year (T-85)

PRO: Earned his second consecutive trip to the Pro Bowl, his first as a starter, after setting a club single-season record with 1,225 yards receiving in 1988. Was named the NFL Alumni Player-of-the-Year for wide receivers, and (UPI) All-NFC after becomming the first Viking receiver to surpass the 1,000-yard mark since Joe Senser and Sammy White each did it in 1981. Entering 1989 ranked third all-time for the Vikings in career receiving yards (3,654), third in TD receptions (28), fourth in average-per-reception (19.1) and 10th in total receptions (191). Had his best regular-season effort vs. Detroit (11/6/88) with eight receptions for 188 yards; it led the NFC last year and ranks third all-time on the team single-game list. Had two other 100-yard efforts last season: vs. Tampa Bay (10/9/88) with five for 123 yards, and vs. Philadelphia (9/25/88) with six for 113 yards. Has pushed his career total for 100-yard games to 12. Also had one dual-TD performance in 1988 vs. Chicago (9/18/88) with 68 yards on three receptions, and his second career playoff 100-yard game with four receptions for 102 yards vs. L.A. (12/26/88). **1987:** Set three NFL single-game playoff records: most reception yards (227 vs. San Francisco 1/9/88); most punt return yards (143) and longest punt return (84t vs. New Orleans 1/3/88). Set one NFL career playoff record: highest punt return average (18.4 yards). Tied two other career playoff records: punt return yards (221), and punts returned for a TD (one). Also set 14 Viking playoff records in 1987: six single-game records, five season records, and three career records. Was selected to play in the Pro Bowl and was named All-NFC by Football News. Led the Viking offense in receptions (38), reception yards (922) and TDs (seven), and his 24.3-yard average-per-reception was the best in the NFL. Had three 100-yard games: 184 yards vs. Dallas (11/26/87), 117 yards vs. the Rams (9/20/87) and 106 yards vs. Chicago (12/6/87). **1986:** Led the team in TD receptions, was second in reception yards, third in receptions, and third in average-per-catch despite missing the first four games of the season with a knee injury. Had only one 100-yard effort; vs. Detroit (11/9/86) 111 yards and one TD, and one dual TD performance, vs. San Francisco (10/12/86). **1985:** Led the club in TD receptions, reception yards, and average-per-reception, and tied for third on the team in receptions. Also led the team in punt return average. Tied John Gilliam's Viking single-season record with five 100-yard games receiving, and had three games in which he caught two TD passes. Caught five passes for 124 yards and two TDs in the final four minutes that helped erase a 23-0 deficit and enabled the Vikings to defeat the Eagles 28-23 (12/1/85). Finished that season with back-to-back 100-yard efforts — vs. Atlanta (12/15/85), and Philadelphia (12/22/85). Was acquired by the Vikings, prior to the 1985 season, in a trade with Miami that sent linebacker Robin Sendlein and the Viking's second-round draft pick in 1986, to the Dolphins in exchange for Carter's NFL rights. Signed with the Michigan Panthers of the USFL in 1983 and played one season; then played two seasons with the Oakland Invaders before coming to Minnesota. His three-year USFL totals include: 160 receptions, 3,042 yards, 27 TDs, 45 punt returns for 387 yards, and one touchdown. Was selected to the All-USFL team in 1983 and caught nine passes for 179 yards and one TD in the 1984 USFL Championship game.

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COLLEGE: Was a three-time consensus All-America selection (1980-82) and three time All-Big Ten choice for the Wolverines. Holds the all-time NCAA record for most all purpose yardage per play and ranks second in NCAA history in TD receptions. Holds three Big Ten records: TD receptions (37), career receptions (161), and kickoff return yards gained (1,606) as well as 10 Michigan career records. Was a four-year starter and letterman and was voted the team MVP as a sophomore and as a senior.

PERSONAL: Born in Riviera Beach, Fla., where he attended Suncoast High School. He and his wife, Ortancis, own and operate Action Travel - a travel agency in Riviera Beach. The Carter's have two daughters, Tara and Nikki, and live in Riviera Beach, Fla.

Receiving

Year	No.	Yds.	Avg.	LG	TD
1985	43	*821	*19.1	*57t	*8
1986	38	686	18.1	60t	*7
1987	*38	*922	24.3	*73t	*7
1988	*72	*1225	17.0	67t	*6
Totals:	**191**	**3654**	**19.1**	**73t**	**28**

Also: Has rushed five times for 53 yards; returned 13 punts for 160 yards, a 12.3-yard average, with a long of 41 yards; returned one kickoff for zero yards; caused one fumble; and recovered one fumble.

Playoffs: Played in three post-season games in 1987 and caught 23 passes for 391 yards and one TD, and returned 12 punts for 221 yards and one TD; and played in two playoff games in 1988 and caught seven passes for 147 yards and returned three punts for 16 yards.

Games played/Started: 1985 (16/15), 1986 (12/10), 1987 (12/11), 1988 (16/16) **Totals:** (56/52)

* Team Leader

ANTHONY CARTER'S ALL-TIME 100-YARD GAMES RECEIVING

		Rec.	Yds.	Avg.	TDs	Team Record W-L
1	vs. Chicago, 9/19/85	4	102	25.5	2	0-1
2	vs. Detroit, 11/17/85	6	102	17.0	2	0-2
3	vs. Philadelphia, 12/1/85	5	124	24.8	2	1-2
4	vs. Atlanta, 12/15/85	7	144	20.6	1	1-3
5	vs. Philadelphia, 12/22/85	6	132	22.0	0	1-4
6	vs. Detroit, 11/9/86	5	111	22.2	1	2-4
7	vs. L.A. Rams, 9/20/87	4	117	29.3	1	3-4
8	vs. Dallas, 11/26/87	8	184	23.0	2	4-4
9	vs. Chicago, 12/6/87	3	106	35.3	2	4-5
10	vs. Philadelphia, 9/25/88	6	113	18.8	0	5-5
11	vs. Tampa Bay, 10/23/88	6	123	20.5	1	6-5
12	vs. Detroit, 11/6/88	8	188	23.5	0	7-5

TRAVIS CURTIS 49

Safety | West Virginia | Born: 9/27/65
Ht: 5-10 | Wt: 180 | 3rd Year (FA-89)

PRO: Signed as a free agent with the Vikings (3/16/89). Finished the 1988 season in Washington. Signed with Washington (12/9/88) and played in one of the two remaining games. Played the first 11 games of the season in Phoenix and had 24 total tackles and one pass interception for 18 yards. Was then placed on injured reserve for three weeks and released. **1987:** Made the 1987 Cardinal roster as a free agent. Played in 13 games that year, starting one, vs. San Francisco (10/18/87). Led the team with five pass interceptions despite playing primarily in nickel defense situations. The five interceptions were the most by an NFC rookie and tied for fourth overall in the NFC.

COLLEGE: Was a four-year starter and letterman. Recorded 226 tackles, 11 interceptions, six fumble recoveries and two blocked kicks for the Mountaineers. Had 59 tackles and one pass interception as a senior in 1986; 66 tackles, three fumble recoveries, four interceptions annd a blocked punt as a junior. Was a three-time All-East selection and played in the 1986 Blue-Gray game. College major was graphic design.

PERSONAL: Born Travis F. Curtis in Washington, D.C. and attended Winston Churchill High in Patomic, Maryland. Was an all-metro and all-county free safety and wide receiver. Hobbies include tennis and art. Spent the off-season working in the family business — New Attitude Trucking, Inc. Married, wife's name is Cynthia. They have a daughter, Tyvelsha, and live in Germantown, Maryland.

Year	Tackles	Assists	Total Tackles	QB Sacks	Caused Fumb.	Recvd. Fumb.	Int/Yds.
#1987	21	7	28	0	0	0	5/65
#1988	19	4	23	1	0	0	1/18
&1988	0	0	0	0	0	0	0/0
Totals:	**40**	**11**	**51**	**1**	**0**	**0**	**6/83**

Also: Intercepted two passes vs. San Francisco, 10/18/87.

Games played/Started: #1987 (13/1), #1988 (12/0), &1988 (1/0) **Totals:** (26/1)

with Phoenix & with Washington Includes special teams stats.

CHRIS DOLEMAN 56

Defensive End | Pittsburgh | Born: 10/16/61
Ht: 6-5 | Wt: 262 | 5th Year (D1-85)

PRO: Earned his second consecutive Pro Bowl starting assignment in 1988 after tying for the club lead in sacks (eight), leading the club in sack yards (61) and ranking seventh on the defense in total tackles (58). Was also named second-team All NFL (AP) and second-team All-NFC (UPI) and was selected as the 1988 Miller Lite Lineman-of-the-Year. Best game in 1988 was vs. Indianapolis (11/20/88) with five solo tackles, including two sacks for 16 yards,

and two assisted tackles. Had five solos and four assists in the loss to Green Bay (12/11/88). Had four solos, a sack and a forced fumble - which was recovered by Tim Newton and converted into a Viking TD - vs. Tampa Bay (10/23/88). It was his eighth forced fumble in 15 games; also forced a fumble in the win over Chicago (9/18/88). Shared a safety with Al Baker (11/13/88) when they sacked Dallas QB Kevin Sweeney in the endzone for the Vikings' final two points in a 43-3 win. **1987:** Was named All-NFL (NEA), second-team All-Pro (AP), All-NFC (PFW, UPI, Football News) and was a starter in the Pro Bowl after leading the Viking defense in sacks (11) and forced fumbles (six) in his first full season at defensive end. Set a Viking team record by forcing fumbles in four consecutive games beginning with Tampa Bay (11/15/87). Forced all six fumbles in those four games: two led to Viking TDs (vs. Tampa and Dallas 11/26/87), one led to a Viking FG (vs. Tampa), and one was not converted (vs. Chicago 12/6/87). Was named the NFC defensive player-of-the-week with six tackles (including two sacks for 18 yards) vs. the Raiders (11/8/87). Had at least one sack in seven consecutive games beginning with Denver (10/26/87) including three sacks for minus 29 yards vs. Dallas (11/26/87). Had five solo tackles, one assist and two sacks in the Viking playoff victory over San Francisco (1/9/88). **1986:** Started the season's first six games at outside linebacker, the final three games at defensive end, and ranked 11th on the defense with 49 total tackles. Was fifth on the team in sacks, and returned a pass interception 59 yards for a TD vs. Tampa Bay (9/14/86). Also had a 10-yard sack and one forced fumble, which was converted into a Viking TD, vs. Tampa Bay (11/30/87). **1985:** As a rookie outside linebacker ranked third on the team in solo tackles, fourth in total tackles and second in fumbles recovered. Led the defense vs. the Rams (10/6/85) and Atlanta (12/15/85) and had his first career interception vs. Tampa Bay (12/8/85). Was named to the (PFWA) All-Rookie team. Was the first linebacker selected, and the fourth player chosen overall, in the 1985 NFL draft.

COLLEGE: A four-year letterman and three-year starter for the Panthers. Totaled 238 tackles, 25 sacks, two recovered fumbles and two interceptions. Was a freshman All-America choice with 45 total tackles — including 12 sacks. As a junior led the Panthers with 100 tackles and six sacks. Missed three games as a senior and still ranked third on the team with 65 tackles and played in the Senior Bowl and the East-West Shrine game. Played in the Sugar, Cotton and Fiesta Bowls while at Pitt and majored in administrative justice.

PERSONAL: Born Christopher John Doleman in Indianapolis, Ind., and attended William Penn Senior High in York, Pa. Was a two-time all-state defensive end in football and forward in basketball while at William Penn High. Played on the Viking charity basketball team during the off-season, and also worked out regularly at the Viking facility. Chris and his wife, Toni, have a daughter, Taylor Marie (5/24/87), and live in Minnetonka, Minn.

Year	Tackles	Assists	Total Tackles	QB Sacks	Caused Fumb.	Recvd. Fumb.	Int/Yds.
1985	69	44	113	½	0	3	1/5
1986	42	7	49	3	2	0	1/59t
1987	38	19	57	*11	*6	0	0/0
1988	42	16	58	T*8	2	0	0/0
Totals:	**191**	**86**	**277**	**22½**	**10**	**3**	**2/64**

Also: Returned an interception 59 yards for a TD vs. Tampa Bay, 9/14/86.

Playoffs: Played in three post-season games in 1987 and had 12 tackles, three sacks for 19 yards, a forced fumble and a recovered fumble; and played in two playoff games in 1988 and had six tackles.

Games played/Started: 1985 (16/13), 1986 (16/9), 1987 (12/12) 1988 (16/16) **Totals:** (60/50)

* Team Leader T Tied for Team Lead Includes special teams stats.

D.J. DOZIER 42

Running Back | Penn State | Born: 9/21/65
Ht: 6-0 | Wt: 198 | 3rd Year (D1-87)

PRO: Missed the final two pre-season games and the first seven regular season games after suffering a hip injury vs. Chicago in Sweden (8/14/88); also missed the Indianapolis game (11/20/88). Finished fifth on the team in rushing (167 yards on 42 carries) and 11th in receiving (five receptions for 49 yards). Led the team with 36 yards rushing vs. Dallas (11/13/88), including a career-long 19-yard TD run. Also rushed for 34 yards and one TD in his first game back from injured reserve vs. Tampa Bay (10/23/88). **1987:** Tied for the team lead in TDs (seven) and rushing TDs (five); also tied a club single-game record with three rushing touchdowns vs. Denver (10/26/87). Ranked fourth on the team in rushing and seventh in receiving. Led the team in rushing twice: with 57 yards vs. Detroit (9/13/87) and 45 yards vs. Seattle (11/1/87). Scored two TDs in the Detroit game (one rushing and one receiving) while starting in place of an injured Darrin Nelson and became the first rookie running back to start a regular-season opener for the Vikings since Nelson in 1982. Missed two games with an ankle injury in 1987: vs. Dallas (11/26/87) and Chicago (12/6/87). Was the third running back, and the 14th player, selected in the 1987 NFL draft.

COLLEGE: Finished his career at Penn State ranked second all-time (behind Curt Warner) in rushing with 3,227 yards and third with 624 rushing attempts. Was a four-year starter and letterman, and the first player in school history to lead the team in rushing four consecutive years. Earned All-ECAC, All-East and All-America accolades as a senior. Rushed for 99 yards on 20 carries -including a game-winning, 6-yard, TD run — in a 14-10 win over Miami in the Fiesta Bowl for the 1986 National Championship. Was the school's first freshman to rush for more than 1,000 yards and set school records for consecutive 100-yard games (four); 100-yard games in a single season (five); and yards rushing in a single game (196 vs. Rutgers). Played in the '83 Sugar, the '85 Orange and '86 Fiesta Bowls. College major was commercial tourism.

PERSONAL: Born William Henry Dozier, Jr., in Norfolk, Va., and attended Kempsville High in Virginia Beach, Va. Was a two-time all-state running back and also lettered three times in basketball, baseball and once in track. Works closely with the Fellowship of Christian Athletes and also does a lot of speaking to school-age children and various church groups. Married, wife's name is Sheila, and they live in Eden Prairie, Minn.

Rushing

Year	Att	Yds	Avg	LG	TD
1987	69	257	3.7	19	T*5
1988	42	167	4.0	19t	2
Totals:	**111**	**424**	**3.8**	**19t**	**7**

Receiving

Year	No	Yds	Avg	LG	TD
1987	12	89	7.4	20t	2
1988	5	49	9.8	20	0
Totals:	**17**	**138**	**8.1**	**20t**	**2**

Also: Returned seven kickoffs for 128 yards, an 18.3-yard average.

Playoffs: Played in three playoff games in 1987 and rushed 13 times for 41 yards.

Games played/Started: 1987(9/3), 1988 (8/1) **Totals:** (17/4) * Team Leader T Tied for Team Lead

MARK DUSBABEK 59

Linebacker | Minnesota | Born: 6/23/64
Ht: 6-3 | Wt: 238 | 1st Year (FA-89)

PRO: Signed as a free agent with the Vikings (4/1/89), the last day teams could sign Plan B free agents. Suffered a dislocated shoulder during training camp and spent the entire 1988 season on Houston's injured reserve list. **1987:** Was also on the Oiler IR roster for all of 1987 because of a shoulder injury that he sustained in training camp that year. Was the fourth-round pick of the Oilers in 1987.

COLLEGE: Was a four-year starter and letterman for the Gophers. Played for three different head coaches, and five different position coaches, during his stay at Minnesota. Career statistics include 125 unassisted tackles, 82 assists, three pass interceptions and four quarterback sacks. As a senior, was named the recipient of the Carl Eller Award as the team's top defensive player and helped lead the Gophers to their second consecutive Bowl game (Liberty) vs. Tennessee. Also earned (AP, UPI) honorable mention All-Big 10 recognition as a senior. Played in the Independence Bowl as a junior in 1985. College major was marketing.

PERSONAL: Born Mark Edward Dusbabek in Faribault, Minnesota. Played in only eight football games during high school career at running back, tight end and linebacker. Primary prep athletic emphasis was basketball. Was a finalist for Minnesota's "Mr. Basketball" award as a senior. Attended school at the University during the off-season earning credits towards his degree. He is single and lives in Minnetonka, Minn.

Year	Tackles	Assists	Total Tackles	QB Sacks	Caused Fumb.	Recvd. Fumb.	Int/Yds.
#1987	0	0	0	0	0	0	0/0
#1988	0	0	0	0	0	0	0/0
Totals:	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0/0**

Games played/Started: #1987 (0/0), #1988 (0/0) **Totals:** (0/0) # with Houston Oilers

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BRAD EDWARDS 27

Safety | South Carolina | Born: 2/22/66
Ht: 6-2 | Wt: 196 | 2nd Year (D2-88)

PRO: Started six games (San Francisco through New Orleans) at free safety in place of an injured John Harris, and finished 11th overall on the defense in 1988 with 43 total tackles. Was the defensive leader with seven total tackles vs. Detroit (11/6/88) and was third on the defense with nine tackles vs. Chicago (12/19/88). Intercepted two passes for 47 yards, including one he returned 37-yards for a TD vs. Tampa Bay (10/23/88); the other was a 10-yarder in the first meeting with Tampa Bay (10/9/88). Was the ninth defensive back, the fourth safety, and the 54th player selected overall in the 1988 college draft.

COLLEGE: Was a (College and Pro Football Newsweekly) second-team All America selection in 1987 after leading the South Carolina defense with 120 total tackles. Was one of the premier interceptors in the nation in 1987 with eight for 132 yards and two TDs. Intercepted a pair of passes, including one he returned 40 yards for a TD, vs. Clemson. He was the second leading tackler from the secondary in 1986 with 76 tackles, including 17 vs. Georgia. Intercepted two passes for 74 yards as a junior. Was recruited as a quarterback but was moved to the secondary as a freshman. Became a three-year starter and played in two Gator Bowls (1984, 1987) and the East-West Shrine Game in 1987. Was a two-time member of the South Carolina Dean's list and graduated with a degree in business management.

PERSONAL: Born Bradford Wayne Edwards in Lumberton, N.C., and attended Douglas Byrd High in Fayetteville, N.C., where he was an honorable mention All-America, an all-south, all-state, and a two-time all-conference quarterback. Also lettered twice in baseball, and his father Wayne, played in the Baltimore Oriole organization. Took classes during the off-season in order to obtain his brokers license and began working as a financial planner with R.M. Herman and Associates in Minneapolis. Made numerous personal appearances during the off-season and also took martial arts training classes. He's married, wife's name is Susan, and they live in Eden Prairie, Minn.

Year	Tackles	Assists	Total Tackles	QB Sacks	Caused Fumb.	Recvd. Fumb.	Int/Yds.
1988	32	11	43	0	0	0	2/47

Games played/Started: 1988 (16/6)

Playoffs: Played in both post season games in 1988 but did not have any tackles.

Includes special teams stats.

RICK FENNEY 31

Running Back | Washington | Born: 12/7/64
Ht: 6-1 | Wt: 240 | 3rd Year (D8-86)

PRO: His 4.9-yard average per rush led the Viking team and was tops in the NFC, and fourth overall, for running backs with more than 50 carries in 1988. Finished fourth on the team in rushing (271 yards on 55 attempts) and tied for seventh in receiving (15 for 224 yards) despite missing three games (Detroit, New Orleans, Green Bay) with a knee injury. Led the offense with 37 yards rushing, including a career-long 28-yarder before being injured vs. Indianapolis (11/20/88). Also had two receptions, including a career-best 42-yarder, prior to being injured in that game. Led the offense in rushing three other times: vs. Tampa Bay (10/23/88) with 37 yards, and one TD, on seven carries; vs. San Francisco (10/30/88) with 35 yards on six carries; and vs. Detroit (11/6/88) with six attempts for 48 yards, and one TD. Had five special teams tackles in 1988 and also forced one fumble, which was recovered in the endzone for a Viking TD, vs. Chicago (9/18/88). **1987:** Finished fifth on the team in rushing and tenth in receiving. Led the team in rushing vs. Atlanta (11/22/87). Scored two rushing TDs — both were 1-yard plunges — vs. Tampa Bay (11/15/87) and Dallas (11/26/87). Had six unassisted tackles and one assist from the special teams in 1987. Was the 27th running back, the 211th player, selected in the 1987 college draft.

COLLEGE: Finished eighth in the conference in rushing in 1986. Led the team in rushing and scored six TDs, including two vs. Bowling Green. Was a second-team All-Pac 10 selection as a junior. Gained 406 yards in the final seven games. As a sophomore was the key figure in Washington's Orange Bowl victory over Oklahoma when he rushed five times for 60 yards and one TD — all in the fourth quarter. Finished that season with 305 yards on 77 attempts. Lettered three times and played in six Bowl games — the '83 Aloha, '84 Orange, '85 Freedom, and the '86 Sun Bowl's, as well as the Hula and Senior Bowl's. College major was history.

PERSONAL: Born Ricky Dale Fenney in Everett, Wash., and attended Snohomish (Wash.) High School. Was a two-time all-conference and all-state fullback after rushing for 2,461 yards and 32 touchdowns. Was also named the Seattle Area Player-of-the-Year, and All-America in 1983. Lettered four times in wrestling, three times in baseball, and once in track. Attended school at Washington during the off-season and also obtained his real estate license. Rick and his wife, Tracy, have a baby girl, Brittany (1/17/88), and live in Eden Prairie, Minn.

Rushing

Year	Att	Yds	Avg	LG	TD
1987	42	174	4.1	12	2
1988	55	271	*4.9	28	3
Totals:	**97**	**445**	**4.6**	**28**	**5**

Receiving

Year	No	Yds	Avg	LG	TD
1987	7	27	3.9	18	0
1988	15	224	14.9	42	0
Totals:	**22**	**251**	**11.4**	**23**	**0**

Also: Has 10 solo tackles and two assists from special teams; and one forced fumble vs. Chicago, 9/19/88.

Playoffs: Played in three playoff games in 1987 and rushed nine times for 22 yards; and played in two post-season games in 1988 and rushed eight times for 25 yards and caught four passes for 15 yards.

Games played/Started: 1987 (11/0), 1988 (13/3) **Totals:** (24/3) * Team Leader

CHRIS FOOTE 62

Center	USC	Born: 12/2/56
Ht: 6-4	Wt: 265	7th Year (T-87)

PRO: Played in all 16 games in 1988 and started five at center in place of Kirk Lowdermilk who was injured. They were the first starts of his career. Was primarily the long snapper for field goals and PATs and had two total tackles from special teams in 1988. **1987:** Played in the final six regular-season games and all three playoff games as the long snapper in field goal and extra point situations. Rights were acquired in a trade with the New York Giants in April 1987 — in exchange for the Vikings 12th round pick in 1988. He did not play football in 1986. In 1984-85 he was a two-year starter with the Tampa Bay Bandits of the USFL. Originally was the sixth-round draft choice of the Colts in 1980 and played in all 32 games for the Colts in 1980-81. Played on the Colts special teams and had 15 tackles and one fumble recovery. After being released by the Colts he signed with the New York Giants and played eight games there in 1982 and 14 games in 1983 before joining the USFL.

COLLEGE: Was a three-year starter and letterman for the Trojans despite three knee injuries during his collegiate career. Was an all-conference selection and played on the Rose Bowl championship team in 1980. Also played in the 1980 Japan Bowl. Has a degree in communications from USC.

PERSONAL: Born Chris D. Foote in Louisville, Kentucky, and attended Fairview High School in Boulder, Colo. Was a two-time all-state selection in football and was also on the school's wrestling and track teams. Raises Rottweilers for breeding and showing. Worked in the off-season as an operations assistant for a hotel chain company. Is married, wife's name is Suzy, and they have two children, Braidee (6/4/84) and Jordan (9/9/87), and live in Laguna Hills, Calif.

Also: Has 17 total tackles and one fumble recovery while playing on special teams.

1987: Played in all three playoff games in 1987 and both post-season contests in 1988.

Games played/Started: &1980 (16/0), &1981 (16/0), $1982 (8/0), $1983 (14/0), 1987 (6/0), 1988 (16/5)

Totals: (76/5) & with Indianapolis (Baltimore) Colts $ with New York Giants

DARRELL FULLINGTON 29

Safety	Miami	Born: 4/17/64
Ht: 6-2	Wt: 185	2nd Year (D5-88)

PRO: Played in every game but one — vs. Tampa Bay (10/16/88) because of a sprained ankle — in 1988 and tied for fourth on the defense with three pass interceptions for 57 yards. Intercepted two passes for 17 yards, and had three tackles vs. Dallas (11/13/88). Also had three tackles and a fumble recovery vs. Detroit (11/6/88). Had a 40-yard interception return in game two vs. New England (9/11/88). Played in both playoff games and had two tackles in each game and also forced a fumble vs. San Francisco (1/9/89). Was the 23rd defensive back, the 11th safety, and the 124th player selected in the 1989 draft.

COLLEGE: Was one of a quartet of four-year lettermen who handled most of the starting chores for the Hurricanes. Played all four positions in the Miami secondary at one time or another. Suffered a knee injury in fall practice and missed the first four games of his senior season in 1987 and finished with 31 total tackles. Was a backup cornerback in 1986, and the fifth back in passing situations, and recorded 43 tackles. Had 30 tackles and one pass interception as a backup cornerback in 1985. Was thrust into the starting free safety spot as a freshman and responded with a team-leading five pass interceptions and had 85 tackles. Played in four post-season games: two Fiesta Bowl's, the Orange and Sugar Bowl, and played on two National Championship teams (1984, 1987). Has a degree in business management organization.

PERSONAL: Born Darrell Fullington in New Smyrna Beach, Fla., where he was an all-county running back, wide receiver and free safety. Also was an all-county basketball player. Held a two-day free football clinic for kids in Daytona Beach and New Smyrna Beach with many Viking and former Hurricane teammates in attendance. Also assisted Jesse Solomon with his football camp for kids in Madison, Fla. He is single and spent the off-season in New Smyrna Beach, Fla.

Year	Tackles	Assists	Total Tackles	QB Sacks	Caused Fumb.	Recvd. Fumb.	Int/Yds.
1988	12	7	19	0	0	1	3/57

Playoffs: Played in both playoff games and had four total tackles and also forced one fumble vs. San Francisco, 1/9/89.

Games played/Started: 1988 (15/0)

JOHN GALVIN 90

Linebacker | Boston College | Born: 7/9/65
Ht: 6-3 | Wt: 230 | 2nd Year (FA-89)

PRO: Signed as a free agent with the Vikings (3/16/89) after spending the 1988 season with the New York Jets. Played in all 16 games for the Jets, primarily on the Jets special teams where he finished third overall with 25 total tackles. Was named the special teams player-of-the-week vs. Indianapolis (12/10/88). Also had four solo tackles and one fumble recovery in linebacking situations. Was the 11th-round draft choice of the Jets in the 1988 college draft.

COLLEGE: Was a four-year letterman and emerged as the starting right outside linebacker as a senior. Finished the season ranked second on the team with 129 tackles, two quarterback sacks and two forced fumbles. Highlights include three 15-tackle performances vs. USC, Pittsburgh, and Rutgers, and was the ECAC defensive player-of-the-week after recording a team-high 12 tackles, one quarterback sack and one pass interception vs. Tennessee. Registered 57 tackles in a backup role as a junior. Used primarily as a special teamer as a freshman and sophomore. Played in three Bowl games: the Liberty, Cotton and Hall of Fame. Graduated with a degree in speech communications.

PERSONAL: Born John Blake Galvin in Lowell, Massachusetts, where he was a standout linebacker and team MVP at Lowell High. Was also named the Lowell Sun defensive player-of-the-year and earned two letters in track. He is single and spent the off-season working as a substitute teacher in Lowell, Mass.

Year	Tackles	Assists	Total Tackles	QB Sacks	Caused Fumb.	Recvd. Fumb.	Int/Yds.
#1988	—	—	29	0	0	1	0/0

Games played/Started: #1988 (16/0) # with New York Jets — stats unavailable
Includes special teams stats.

RICH GANNON 16

Quarterback | Delaware | Born: 12/20/65
Ht: 6-3 | Wt: 199 | 3rd Year (T-87)

PRO: Was on the active roster for five games and played in three in 1988. Played the second half vs. Miami (10/2/88), in relief of Tommy Kramer, and completed seven of his 15 pass attempts for 90 yards before sustaining a knee injury; had surgery at the end of the season. Also played vs. Tampa Bay (10/23/88) and Detroit (11/6/88) but had no pass attempts. Gained 29 yards on four rushing attempts in 1988. **1987:** Played in five regular season games and one playoff game. Completed two of six passes for 18 yards with one interception vs. Atlanta (11/22/87) and had three rushes for three yards in the Wild Card victory over New Orleans (1/3/88). Led the team in rushing during the 1987 pre-season with 142 yards on 18 carries while completing 27 of 47 passes for 254 yards and three TDs. Was acquired from the New England Patriots (5/6/87) in exchange for the Vikings' fourth and 11th-round picks in the 1988 draft. Was New England's fourth-round draft pick, the seventh QB and the 98th player selected in the 1987 draft.

COLLEGE: Had an outstanding career, setting 21 school records and one conference record. Was named the Yankee Conference offensive player-of-the-year and was named honorable mention All-America (AP) as a senior. Holds Blue Hen career records for total offense (7,432 yards), passing yards (5,927), attempts (845), completions (462), 300-yard games (two), 200-yard games (12) as well as a host of others. Is the only player in school history to have 2,000 yards of total offense for three consecutive years. Was selected the ECAC Division 1-AA ofensive rookie-of-the-year as a freshman in 1984. Has a degree in criminal justice, with a minor in English.

PERSONAL: Born Richard Joseph Gannon in Philadelphia, Pa., where he attended St. Joseph's Prep School and lettered three times in football, basketball and crew. Was an all-city quarterback and punter as well as a Catholic League champion in crew as a sophomore and junior. Enjoys refurbishing old cars, playing golf and racquetball. He is single and spent the off-season in Philadelphia rehabilitating his knee and also was a guest speaker at many high school and charity functions.

Passing

Year	Att.	Comp.	Yds.	Pct.	TD	Int.	LG	Rtg.
1987	6	2	18	33.3	0	1	12	—
1988	15	7	90	46.7	0	0	19	65.9
Totals:	**21**	**9**	**108**	**42.9**	**0**	**1**	**19**	**39.5**

Also: Has rushed four times for 29 yards with a long of 15 yards.

Playoffs: Played in the 1987 Wild Card playoff game vs. New Orleans and rushed three times for three yards.

Games Played/Started: 1987 (5/0), 1988 (3/0) **Totals:** (8/0)

CURTIS GREER 73

Defensive End | Michigan | Born: 11/10/58
Ht: 6-4 | Wt: 258 | 8th Year (FA-89)

PRO: Signed as a free agent with the Vikings (3/16/89) after spending nine years with the Cardinal organization. Missed the entire 1988 season after being placed on injured reserve (8/19/88) because of an injury to his back. **1987:** Played in 10 games and ranked second on the team with six sacks and earned NFC player-of-the-week honors with a three-sack effort vs. Dallas (9/13/87). **1986:** Spent the entire season on IR after re-injuring a knee in training camp. **1985** Played with an injured right knee all season long recording 58 total tackles and a team-leading seven sacks. Had four sacks in the season's first three games. **1984:** Ranked third in the NFC with 14 sacks and was named (AP) second-team All-Pro. Totaled 41 tackles and had four sacks in the two wins over Philadelphia that year. **1983:** Had his best statistical season with 42 total tackles and 16 sacks. Had three sacks and a forced fumble vs. Dallas (9/11/83), and four and one-half sacks in a 31-7 victory over Philadelphia (12/18/83). **1982:** Led the team with seven-and-one-half sacks. **1981:** Became starting right-end in game four that year and led the team with 12½ sacks and four fumble recoveries. Had three sacks and a forced fumble vs. New England (11/29/81). **1980:** Played in 11 games as a rookie and was the team co-leader with six and one-half sacks. Was the Cardinal's first-round pick, and the sixth player selected overall, in the 1980 college draft.

COLLEGE: Was a consensus All-America selection as a senior and a finalist for the Outland and Lombardi Awards. Led the Wolverines in tackles as a junior and senior. Played in three Rose Bowls, the 1979 Gator Bowl, and 1980 Hula Bowl. Has a degree in speech communications.

PERSONAL: Born Curtis William Greer in Detroit, Mich., where he attended Cass Tech High School. Was an all-state football player and also lettered in baseball and basketball. In 1987 was the Cardinal's recipient of the Ed Block memorial courage award which recognizes a player's ability to fight back from injury. Married, wife's name is Marcia. They live in Detroit, Mich., with their three children — twins, Brandon and Danielle (7/23/82) — and Jessica Carolyn (12/19/84)

Year	Tackles	Assists	Total Tackles	QB Sacks	Caused Fumb.	Recvd. Fumb.	Int/Yds.
#1980	23	12	35	6½	—	0	0/0
#1981	43	17	60	12½	—	4	0/0
#1982	23	3	26	7½	—	3	0/0
#1983	19	23	42	16	—	1	0/0
#1984	36	5	41	14	—	0	0/0
#1985	54	4	58	7	—	1	0/0
#1986	0	0	0	0	—	0	0/0
#1987	27	2	29	6	—	0	0/0
#1988	0	0	0	0	—	0	0/0
Totals:	**225**	**66**	**291**	**69½**	**—**	**9**	**0/0**

Playoffs: Played one game in the 1982 playoffs.

Games played/Started: #1980 (11/2), #1981 (16/12), #1982 (9/9), #1983 (16/16), #1984 (16/16), #1985 (16/15), #1986 (0/0), #1987 (10/9), #1988 (0/0) **Totals:** (94/79) # with Phoenix — stats unavailable

JIM GUSTAFSON 80

Wide Receiver | St. Thomas | Born: 3/16/61
Ht: 6-1 | Wt: 179 | 4th Year (FA-85)

PRO: Enjoyed his finest season in 1988 as he tied for seventh on the club with 15 receptions for 231 yards and one touchdown. Was moved to the number three receiver spot in 1988. Had a career-best effort vs. Miami (10/2/89) when he caught four second-half passes for 89 yards while playing in place of an injured Anthony Carter. Also had a career-long 47-yarder in that game. Caught two passes for 26 yards, and his only 1988 TD, vs. Detroit (11/6/88). Caught three passes for 70 yards in the two playoff games. **1987:** Caught only four passes for 55 yards in 1987, including three for 48 yards vs. Chicago (12/6/87) while filling in for an injured Leo Lewis. Had a 7-yard reception vs. Detroit (12/20/87) and a 12-yarder in the Wild Card playoff game vs. New Orleans (1/3/88). **1986:** Played in 14 games and had his first NFL reception vs. Detroit (9/7/86). It was a 5-yard TD catch, and his second reception of the season also went for a TD, 9-yards vs. Pittsburgh (9/21/86). **1985:** Spent the entire season on the Vikings' injured reserve roster after suffering a shoulder separation in a pre-season game vs. Pittsburgh (8/17/85). Was originally signed by the Vikings as a free agent in 1984 but was released during training camp that year and was asked by the Vikings to come to camp with the team again in 1985.

COLLEGE: Was an All-America wide receiver as well as an academic All-America choice as a senior at St. Thomas. Totaled 174 career receptions including 72 his final season. Was a four-year starter and four-year letterman for the Tommies and was also a member of the school's track team where he was an All-America selection in the javelin toss. Has a B.A. degree in finance from St Thomas.

PERSONAL: Born James Joel Gustafson in Minneapolis, Minn., and attended Lincoln Senior High in Bloomington, Minn., where he was an all-state wide receiver and safety. He also played basketball, baseball and ran track at Lincoln and was the state class 2-AA long jump champion in 1979. Spent the offseason working out at the Vikings Eden Prairie facility and played with the Vikings' charity basketball team. His interests include playing basketball, racquetball, and golf, as well as fishing. He is single and lives in Chanhassen, Minn.

Receiving

Year	No	Yds	Avg	LG	TD
1985	0	0	0	0	0
1986	5	61	12.2	18	2
1987	4	55	13.8	23	0
1988	15	231	15.4	47	1
Totals:	**24**	**347**	**14.5**	**47**	**3**

Also: Has rushed one time for minus 2 yards.

Playoffs: Played in all three playoff games in 1987 and caught one pass for 12 yards; and played in both post-season games in 1988 and caught three passes for 70 yards.

Games played/Started: 1985 (0/0), 1986 (14/0), 1987(12/0), 1988 (16/0) **Totals:** (42/0)

BRIAN HABIB 74

Tackle | Washington | Born: 12/2/64
Ht: 6-7 | Wt: 280 | 2nd Year (D11-88)

PRO: Spent the entire 1988 regular season on IR after injuring his right shoulder in the Miami pre-season game (8/26/88). Was activated from IR for the two playoff games but did not play. Was moved from defensive tackle to offensive tackle midway through the season because of the lack of depth on the offense. Was the 36th defensive lineman, the 25th tackle and the 264th player selected in the 1988 college draft.

COLLEGE: Was a two-year letterman and starting defensive lineman for the Huskies. Ranked fifth on the defense in 1987 with 70 tackles; and also had two sacks, seven tackles-for-loss, one forced, and one recovered fumble. Started all year in 1986 at right defensive tackle and finished with 64 tackles, one sack and three tackles-for-loss. Had a career-high 13 tackles vs. UCLA that year. Was voted the team's most improved lineman in 1984 despite injuries to his hamstring and ankle. Played in the Blue-Gray game, the Independence Bowl and the Sun Bowl. Graduated with a degree in history.

PERSONAL: Born Brian Richard Habib in in Ellensburg, Wash., where he was an all-league defensive end and tight end. Had 28 sacks and caught 34 passes for 400 yards in his career. Also was on the school's basketball and powerlifting teams and was a state record holding amateur swimmer. His father is a chemistry professor and director for academic advising at Central Washington. He is single and live in Seattle, Wash.

Games played/Started: 1988 (0/0)

Playoffs: Was on the inactive list for each of the two playoff games at the conclusion of the 1988 season.

CARL HILTON 82

Tight End | Houston | Born: 2/28/64
Ht: 6-3 | Wt: 236 | 4th Year (D7-86)

PRO: Returned to the active roster in week nine vs. San Francisco (10/30/88) after spending the first eight weeks of the 1988 season on IR with a broken wrist. His only catch of the regular season was a 1-yard TD reception vs. New Orleans (12/4/88). Also had a 5-yard TD reception vs. the Rams in the Wild Card playoff game (12/26/88). Had four special teams tackles during the regular season and two more in the playoffs. Has caught only five passes in his three-year career but all five have been for TDs. **1987:** Was the only Viking player to register a blocked kick in 1987 with a blocked punt vs. Atlanta (11/22/87). It was recovered by Walker Lee Ashley, and led to a Viking touchdown. Had a 7-yard TD reception in the playoff victory over the 49ers (1/9/88) and had two 8-yard grabs during the regular season: vs. the Rams (9/20/87) and Falcons (11/22/87). Added six tackles while playing on special teams. **1986:** Played in all 16 games, primarily on the special teams, and ranked third with 13 unassisted tackles and six assists. Led the special teams with three solo tackles and one assist vs. Chicago (10/19/86). Was the seventh tight end, and the 179th player, selected in the 1986 NFL draft.

COLLEGE: Was a first-team All Southwest Conference honoree in 1985 and a *(Sporting News)* All-America selection in 1984 for the Cougars. Became the first tight end in the history of the conference to reach the 100 career receptions plateau. Ranked second all-time in receiving at Houston (106 receptions for 1,440 yards and 14 TDs). Was a four-year letterman and three-year starter. College major was physical education/coaching.

PERSONAL: Born Carl Patrick Hilton in Galveston, Tex., where he attended Ball High School. Was an all-state football and basketball selection as a senior in 1982. Likes to travel, fish, play tennis and basketball. Is single and spent the off-season in Galveston, Tex.

Receiving

Year	No	Yds	Avg	LG	TD
1986	0	0	0.0	0	0
1987	2	16	8.0	8	2
1988	1	1	1.0	1	1
Totals:	**3**	**17**	**5.7**	**8**	**3**

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Also: Has 18 unassisted tackles and 13 assists from special teams. Also blocked one punt vs. Atlanta, 11/22/87, and returned one kickoff for 13 yards vs. Denver, 10/25/87.

Playoffs: Played in all three post-season games in 1987 and caught one pass for seven yards and one TD; and played in both playoff games in 1988 and had one 5-yard TD reception.

Games played/Started: 1986 (16/0), 1987 (11/1), 1988 (8/0) **Totals:** (35/1)

ISSIAC HOLT, III 30

Cornerback | Alcorn State | Born: 10/4/62
Ht: 6-1 | Wt: 199 | 5th Year (D2-85)

PRO: Started the first nine games of the 1988 season at left cornerback — then missed three of the next four games with a thigh contusion — and played as a backup the final three weeks of the regular season and the playoffs. Led the defense with five solo tackles, a 15-yard pass interception and two passes defensed vs. Tampa Bay (10/23/88). Sealed the Viking win over Philadelphia (9/25/88) with a last-minute pass interception. Also blocked a punt, which led to a Viking FG, in that game. Had his first career safety when he tackled New England's punter in the end zone (9/11/88). **1987:** Intercepted a pass in the first quarter of the Wild Card playoff win over the Saints (1/3/88). Tied for fifth on the defense with two pass interceptions and had 18 total tackles in 1987. Played in only nine games and started five after sustaining a knee injury during training camp. **1986:** Tied for fourth in the NFC (and fifth in the NFL) while leading the Viking defense with eight pass interceptions. Also was the team leader with two blocked punts that year — one in each of the two Green Bay games. Finished ninth on the defense with 52 total tackles. Had six solo tackles, a 14-yard interception return, and recovered a blocked punt in the end zone for a TD vs. San Francisco (10/12/86). Had a four-game interception streak beginning vs. Chicago (10/5/86) and picked off two passes vs. the New York Giants (11/16/86). **1985:** Played in 15 games, starting one vs. Atlanta (12/15/85). Missed one game vs. New Orleans (11/24/85) with an ankle injury. Finished the season with 25 total tackles, including one for a loss, and one pass interception vs. San Diego (10/20/86). Was the fourth defensive back, the 30th player, selected in the 1985 NFL draft.

Issiac Holt continued

COLLEGE: Set an all-time NCAA Division 1-AA record with 24 career interceptions. Was a four-year starter and four-year letterman for the Braves. Was named to the Kodak All-America team as well as the All-Southwestern Athletic Conference team. Totaled 128 tackles (74 solo, 54 assists), 38 passes defensed, and 319 interception return yards. College major was health and physical education.

PERSONAL: Born Issiac Holt, III, in Birmingham, Ala., where he attended Carver High School. He was named the Birmingham Area Defensive Back-of-the-Year as a senior. He spent the off-season playing with the Vikings' charity basketball team. He's married, wife's name is Burnedean, and they have a baby daughter, Brianna (5/9/88), and live in Bloomington, Minn.

Year	Tackles	Assists	Total Tackles	QB Sacks	Caused Fumb.	Recvd. Fumb.	Int/Yds.
1985	15	10	25	0	0	0	1/0
1986	44	8	52	0	1	0	*8/54
1987	15	3	18	0	0	0	2/7
1988	31	3	34	0	0	0	2/15
Totals:	**105**	**24**	**129**	**0**	**1**	**0**	**13/76**

Also: Has blocked three punts: two in 1986 vs. Green Bay, 9/28/86 and, 12/7/86; and one vs. Philadelphia, 9/25/88. Also recovered a blocked punt in the endzone for a TD vs. San Francisco, 10/12/86. Had a safety vs. New England, 9/11/88.

Playoffs: Played in all three post-season games in 1987 and had six total tackles and one pass interception; and played in both playoff games in 1988 and had two solo tackles.

Games played/Started: 1985 (15/1), 1986 (16/15), 1987 (9/5), 1988 (13/9) **Totals:** (53/30)

* Team Leader Includes special teams stats.

DAVID HOWARD 99

Linebacker | Long Beach State | Born: 12/8/61
Ht: 6-2 | Wt: 234 | 5th Year (S3-84)

PRO: Started every game in 1988 and finished 10th on the defense with 46 total tackles (including 13 from the special teams). Also tied for fourth on the team with three pass interceptions (two more than his previous career total). Best game was vs. Dallas (11/13/88) with two solo tackles, a 9-yard sack, a forced fumble and a fumble recovery. Intercepted passes vs. New England (9/11/88), Chicago (9/18/88) and Green Bay (12/11/88) and recovered a fumble vs. Tampa Bay (10/9/88). **1987:** Tied for 11th on the defense with 33 total tackles. Missed three games (Raiders, Tampa and Dallas) and most of another (Atlanta) with a sprained ankle. Best game was the regular-season opener vs. Detroit (9/13/87) with five solo tackles and three assists. Had his first career interception vs. Washington in the regular season finale. **1986:** Ranked sixth on the defense with 88 tackles and tied for the team lead with three forced fumbles — despite missing nearly four games with a hyper-extended elbow. Led the defensive unit with six tackles, two assists and one-half sack vs. Chicago (10/19/86). **1985:** Started the final four games of the season and finished 10th on the defense with 44 tackles and 26 assists. Was active for all 16 games but was primarily a special teams player for the first eight games of the year. All but seven of his 80 tackles came in the final eight contests. Led the team with 12 solo tackles, seven assists and one forced fumble in his first Viking start vs. Philadelphia (12/1/85). Was Minnesota's third-round selection in the 1984 supplemental draft after

playing two seasons with the L.A. Express of the USFL. Started 14 games for the Express in 1983 and totaled 79 tackles (including five and one-half sacks), two interceptions, two forced fumbles and one fumble recovery, and in 1984 he started every game and had 131 total tackles, one pass interception, and three sacks.

COLLEGE: Was a three-time all-conference linebacker at Long Beach State earning second-team recognition as a sophomore and first-team notice his final two seasons. Had 89 tackles as a senior. As a junior led the team with 96 tackles (including nine sacks). Collegiate career totals include 242 tackles, 17 sacks, and six interceptions in three seasons. Transferred from Oregon State after turning in 43 tackles at OSU as a freshman. College major was elementary education.

PERSONAL: Born David Howard in Enterprise, Ala., and attended Long Beach (Calif.) Poly High. Was named all-conference, all-league and the city co-player-of-the-year in 1978. Is working towards his degree at St. Thomas College in St. Paul, Minn., and was a guest speaker at many banquets and charity functions. Enjoys working with handicapped children. Played on the Vikings' charity basketball team and co-owns, along with his cousin, Purple and Gold (P & G) Fish Fry, a fast-food fish restaraunt, in Minneapolis. Has a daughter, Ashlie Monet (10/1/85), and lives in Bloomington, Minn.

Year	Tackles	Assists	Total Tackles	QB Sacks	Caused Fumb.	Recvd. Fumb.	Int/Yds.
1985	44	36	80	0	3	0	0/0
1986	55	33	88	2½	T*3	0	0/0
1987	24	9	33	0	0	0	1/0
1988	31	15	46	1	1	T*2	3/16
Totals:	**154**	**93**	**247**	**3½**	**7**	**2**	**4/16**

Playoffs: Played in all three playoff games in 1987 and had ten total tackles; and played in both playoff games in 1988 and had seven tackles.

Games played/Started: 1985 (16/4), 1986 (14/13), 1987 (10/7), 1988 (16/16) **Totals:**(56/40)

* Team Leader T Tied for Team Lead Includes special teams stats.

DAVID HUFFMAN 72

Guard	Notre Dame	Born: 4/4/57
Ht: 6-6	Wt: 285	10th Year (FA-85)

PRO: Was the starting left guard on opening day vs. Buffalo (9/4/88) and then missed the next five weeks with a back injury. Played in game seven vs. Green Bay (10/16/88) and spent the final eight games on injured reserve after undergoing back surgery. His 111 games played with the club ranks fourth amongst active Viking players. Can play all five positions on the offensive line. **1987:** Replaced Jim Hough at left guard and started all 12 regular-season and all three post-season games. Was moved to guard for 1987 after serving as a backup offensive tackle the previous two seasons. **1986:** Was a backup tackle and special team player. Started one game at left guard vs. Cincinnati (11/23/87). **1985:** Returned to the Vikings after playing two years in the USFL. Re-signed with the club following the season opener vs. San Francisco (9/8/85) and played in every game thereafter. Started the final three games of the year at left tackle and also had four tackles on the special teams. Left the Vikings at the conclusion of the 1983 season and started every game in 1984 for the Arizona Wranglers and earned second-team All-USFL honors. In 1985 he was the starting right tackle for the Memphis Showboats, again earning second-team All-USFL honors. Was a reserve offensive lineman in 1983 for the Vikings, playing in 15 of the 16 games. In 1982 he was primarily an extra blocker in short yardage situations. Played in 13 games in 1981 and all 16 games in 1980. Started two games in 1980 in place of an injured Ron Yary. Was drafted as a center but has played every position along the offensive line, including tight end in short yardage situations. Was the second center selected, and the 49th player chosen overall in the 1979 college draft.

COLLEGE: Was a consensus All-America center for the Fighting Irish in 1978. Was a four-year letterman and three-year starter. Started five games at tight end as a freshman before becoming the starting center. Played in the 1979 Hula Bowl, and the Japan Bowl. Has a degree in anthropology from Notre Dame.

PERSONAL: Born David Lambert Huffman in Canton, Ohio and played tight end, linebacker and center at Jefferson High School in Dallas, Tex. His younger brother, Tim, was an offensive lineman with the Green Bay Packers from 1981-85. Has worked closely with the Viking Council of the Boy Scouts of America in Minneapolis. Spent most of the off-season resting his back but did manage to play a few games with the Vikings charity basketball team. Is married, wife's name is Cathy Piha, and they have a daughter, Jessica Piha (10/15/86), and live in Chanhassen, Minn.

Also: Has six unassisted tackles, and three assists. Recovered a blocked punt in the end zone for a touchdown vs. Detroit, 9/25/83.

Playoffs: Was the starting left guard for all three post-season games following the 1987 season.

Games played/Started: 1979 (13/0), 1980 (16/2), 1981 (13/0), 1982 (9/0), 1983 (15/0), 1985 (15/3), 1986 (16/1), 1987 (12/12), 1988 (2/1) **Totals:** (111/19)

TIM IRWIN 76

Tackle	Tennessee	Born: 12/13/58
Ht: 6-7½	Wt: 290	9th Year (D3-81)

PRO: Has become a fixture at right tackle and has started every game since assuming the job, when Ron Yary retired, following the 1981 season. Blocked a field goal attempt vs. Indianapolis (11/20/88). Entered the 1989 season with the longest consecutive start streak amongst active Viking players (101 games) and ranks fifth on the team in the total number of games played (108). In 1985 he tied a Viking single-game record with two blocked field goal attempts vs. Atlanta (12/15/85). Was active for 16 games in 1981 and played in seven as a backup at both right and left tackle. Was the 74th player selected in the 1981 college draft.

COLLEGE: Was a three-year letterman, two-year starter, captain, and team offensive MVP as a senior. Played in the Japan Bowl and the East-West Shrine Game. Was an academic All-America selection and was the recipient of an NCAA post-graduate scholarship. Has a degree in politcal science.

PERSONAL: Born Timothy Edward Irwin in Memphis, Tenn., and attended Central High School in Knoxville, Tenn. Played tight end and noseguard and was an all-state selection in football and All-East Tennessee nominee as a center on the school basketball team. Hobbies include outdoor activities such as hunting, fishing and paddleball. Took evening classes at the William Mitchell School of Law in St. Paul, Minn. Was the host and chairman of a fishing tournament during the off-season to benefit the Boys home in Knoxville, Tenn. He and his wife, Sharon, have a daughter, Mallory (6/22/85), and live in Dandridge, Tenn.

Also: Has blocked four FG attempts: vs. L.A. Raiders, 10/14/84; two vs. Atlanta, 12/15/85; and vs. Indianapolis, 11/20/88. Has also returned one kickoff for zero yards vs. the New York Giants, 11/16/86.

Playoffs: Has started seven playoff games: two in 1982, three in 1987 and both playoff games in 1988.

Games played/Started: 1981 (7/0), 1982 (9/9), 1983 (16/16), 1984 (16/16), 1985 (16/16), 1986 (16/16), 1987 (12/12), 1988 (16/16) **Totals:** (108/101)

VIKING TOP 10/GAMES STARTED

Offensive Line Starts

240 Mick Tingelhoff
180 Ron Yary
178 Grady Alderman
128 Steve Riley
115 Milt Sunde
101 Tim Irwin
101 Dennis Swilley
95 Ed White
93 Wes Hamilton
81 Larry Bowie

Offensive Line Consecutive Starts

240 Mick Tingelhoff
150 Ron Yary
101 Tim Irwin
72 Steve Riley
69 Grady Alderman
62 Milt Sunde
61 Larry Bowie
56 Grady Alderman
56 Ed White
48 Wes Hamilton
44 Gary Zimmerman

HASSAN JONES 84

Wide Receiver | Florida State | Born: 7/2/64
Ht: 6-0 | Wt: 198 | 4th Year (D5-86)

PRO: Established personal highs for receptions (40) and yards (778) in a single season and ranked third and second on the club in those categories. His 19.5-yard average per reception in 1988 led the team and ranks eighth all-time for the club, and his three-year career average of 20.4 yards ranks second all-time for the Vikings. Together with Anthony Carter and Steve Jordan, combined to catch more passes for more yards than other other starting trio in the NFL in 1988. Led the team in receptions and yards three times last season: vs. Green Bay (10/16/88), four for 66 yards; vs. San Francisco (10/30/88), six for 81 yards; and vs. San Francisco in the playoffs, seven for 71 yards and a TD. Also was the yardage leader in three others: 132 yards and two TDs, including a career-long 68-yarder, vs. Dallas (11/13/88); 89 yards and two TDs vs. New Orleans (12/4/88); and 54 yards vs. Chicago (12/19/88). **1987:** He led the club during the regular season with a 27-yard average per catch and also during the playoffs with a 24.3-yard average per reception. Caught only two passes during the playoffs and both were TDs: a 44-yarder vs. New Orleans (1/3/88) and a 5-yarder vs. San Francisco (1/9/88). Finished the regular season with only two TDs: a game-winning 41-yarder with less than a minute to play vs. the Rams (9/20/87), and a 58-yarder vs. the Raiders (11/8/87). **1986:** Led the team with a 20.4-yard average and finished sixth on the team with 28 receptions. Started the first six games of the season in place of an injured Anthony Carter and responded with back-to-back 100-yard performances in games three and four. Led the team in receiving vs. Pittsburgh (9/21/86) with six receptions for 140 yards and two TDs, and the following week vs. Green Bay (9/28/86) with six receptions for 106 yards and two TDs. Also led the team in reception yards, vs. New Orleans (12/21/86). Was the 12th wide receiver, and 120th player selected, in the 1986 college draft.

COLLEGE: Set a Florida State single-season record with a 21.7-yard average in 1986 while leading the Seminoles in receiving with 34 receptions for 738 yards. Four-year totals include 98 receptions, 1,764 yards and 17 touchdowns. Was a four-year letterman and three-year starter on teams that compiled a 32-14 record. Played in two Gator Bowls, a Peach and a Citrus Bowl. Has a degree in criminology.

PERSONAL: Born Hassan Ameer Jones in Clearwater, Fla., and attended Clearwater High where he earned Parade and Scholastic Magazine All-America honors. Led the basketball team to the class 4-A state championship as a junior. Was named the Hertz High School Athlete-of-the-Year in Florida as a senior. Spent the off-season working out at Winter Park, is single and lives in Eden Prairie, Minn.

Receiving

Year	No	Yds	Avg	LG	TD
1986	28	570	*20.4	55t	4
1987	7	189	*27.0	58t	2
1988	40	778	*19.5	*68t	5
Totals:	**75**	**1537**	**20.5**	**68t**	**11**

Also: Has rushed two times for 21 yards.

Playoffs: Played in all three 1987 post-season games and had two receptions for 49 yards and two TDs; and started both playoff games in 1988 and led the club with nine receptions for 99 yards and one TD.

Games played/Started: 1986 (16/6), 1987 (12/0), 1988 (16/15) **Totals:** (44/21) * Team leader

STEVE JORDAN 83

Tight End	Brown	Born: 1/10/61
Ht: 6-3½	Wt: 235	8th Year (D7-82)

PRO: Was named to his third consecutive Pro Bowl in 1988 after finishing second in yards and third in receptions amongst conference tight ends. Entered 1989 ranked fourth all-time for the club in career receiving yards (3,568) and seventh in receptions (274). Led the team in receptions and yards twice in 1988: vs. New England (9/11/88), five for 85 yards; and vs. Green Bay (12/11/88), seven for 80 yards. Also led the team with six receptions, including two TDs, vs. Tampa Bay (10/23/88). Tied for the team lead with eight receptions vs. Dallas (11/13/88). Has caught at least one pass in 72 of the 74 regular season games in which he's played since becoming a starter in 1984. **1987:** Was named (UPI) All-NFC and was selected to play in his second Pro Bowl after finishing second on the club in receiving. Scored TDs vs. the Raiders (11/8/87) and Tampa Bay (11/15/87). Was the leading receiver in six games and the yardage leader twice. Had five receptions during the playoffs, including a 5-yard TD grab vs. New Orleans (1/3/88). **1986:** Led the Vikings in receptions (58) and yards (859) and was selected to play in the Pro Bowl. Started every game and finished second amongst NFC tight ends in both receptions and yards and ranked 12th in the conference in receptions and eighth in yards. Finished second on the team with six TD receptions and led the team in receiving in four games. Had a career best effort, and the best by a Viking receiver since 1976, vs. Washington (11/2/86) with six receptions for 179 yards — including a career-long, 68-yard TD. The 179 yards is the most ever by a Viking tight end and ranks fifth all-time on the club single-game record list. **1985:** His 68 receptions led all conference tight ends and marked the first time since 1981 that a Viking receiver surpassed the 60 reception plateau in a single season. Led the team in receiving twice that year: vs. Buffalo (9/29/85) and Detroit (11/3/85). **1984:** Started the first 14 games of the season and tied for third on the team with 38 receptions. Was sidelined by a toe injury for the season's final two games. **1983:** Missed two games, with a sprained ankle, and one with a separated shoulder and finished with 15 receptions. **1982:** Played in every game, starting one and had three receptions. Was the 179th player selected in the 1982 NFL draft.

COLLEGE: Was a three-year starter and played in 25 games for the Bruins. Caught 74 passes for 1,330 yards and eight TDs. As a senior caught 38 passes for 693 yards and four TDs and set a school record for most receiving yards in a game (188) on six receptions vs. Pennsylvania. Graduated from Brown with a degree in civil engineering.

PERSONAL: Born Steven Russell Jordan in Phoenix, Ariz., where he attended South Mountain High School. Played quarterback and tight end, winning two letters in football and also earned three letters in tennis. Spent the offseason working out at the Viking training facility and also worked for the M.A. Mortenson Company, a local building construction firm, as an on-sight engineer. Works closely with the local Cystic Fibrosis chapter as well as the Multiple Sclerosis Society. Hobbies include reading, art, and theater. Married, wife's name is Anita, and they have one son, Geoffrey Winston (3/29/87), and live in Eden Prairie, Minn.

STEVE JORDAN CAREER STATISTICS

Receiving

Year	No	Yds	Avg	LG	TD	Year	No	Yds	Avg	LG	TD
1982	3	42	14.0	29	0	1986	*58	*859	14.8	68t	6
1983	15	212	14.1	28	2	1987	35	490	14.0	38	2
1984	38	414	10.9	26	2	1988	57	756	13.3	38	5
1985	*68	795	11.7	32	0	**Totals:**	**274**	**3568**	**13.0**	**68t**	**17**

Also: Has one 4-yard TD run vs. Tampa Bay, 11/4/84. Also has 13 solo tackles from the special teams.

Playoffs: Played in both playoff games at the conclusion of the 1982 season and had two receptions for 11 yards; started all three post-season games in 1987 and had five receptions for 73 yards and one TD; and started both playoff games in 1988 and had four receptions for 63 yards.

Games played/Started: 1982 (9/1), 1983 (13/2), 1984 (16/14), 1985 (16/16), 1986 (16/16), 1987 (12/12), 1988 (16/16) **Totals:** (98/77) *Team leader

TODD KALIS 69

Guard | Arizona State | Born: 12/19/64
Ht: 6-5 | Wt: 280 | 2nd Year (D4-88)

PRO: Played in the final 14 games of the 1988 regular season as a backup guard and tackle. Began the season as the backup guard but was moved to tackle early in the season. Played primarily on the special teams but did play guard vs. Chicago (9/19/88) in place of Terry Tausch who had the flu, and tackle vs. Miami (10/2/88) in place of an injured Tim Irwin. Entered the 1989 season projected as the starting right guard with the loss of Tausch to free agency. Was the 17th offensive lineman, the fifth guard, and the 108th player selected in 1988 college draft.

COLLEGE: Was a first-team All-Pac 10 selection as a senior. Was a four-year letterman and three-year starter and a member of the school's powerlifting team. Started his final 35 consecutive games for the Sun-Devils. Helped anchor an offensive line that enabled the offense to average 190 yards rushing per game in 1987 and 210 yards per game on the ground in 1986. Was recruited as a tight end but was moved to guard as a freshman and served as a backup in 1984 before assuming the starting role in 1985. Played in the '87 Freedom, '86 Rose and '85 Holiday Bowl's as well as the 1987 Senior Bowl. College major was economics.

PERSONAL: Born Todd Alexander Kalis in Stillwater, Minn., and attended Thunderbird High in Phoenix, Ariz. Was an all-conference linebacker, and offensive tackle and an all-state, and honorable mention All-America punter. He also lettered once in track and twice in tennis — where he earned all-conference recognition. Attended school at ASU during the off-season earning credits towards his degree. He is single, and lives in Phoenix, Ariz.

Games played/Started: 1988 (14/0)

Playoffs: Played in both post-season games at the conclusion of the 1988 season.

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TOMMY KRAMER 9

Quarterback | Rice | Born: 3/7/55
Ht: 6-2 | Wt: 202 | 13th Year (D1-77)

PRO: Played in 10 games, and was the starter for six, in 1988. Started games two through seven and was 4-2 with victories over New England (9/11/88), Chicago (9/18/88), Philadelphia (9/25/88) and Tampa Bay (10/9//88). Completed 15 of 25 passes for 258 yards and three TDs in the win over Chicago, and led the team on a nine-play, 54-yard FG drive with less than two minutes to play in the 23-21 come-from-behind victory over the Eagles. Was 19 of 30 for 209 yards with one TD and one intercept in the win over Tampa Bay; it was his first complete game since the 1986 season. **1987:** Played in seven games, six regular season and one playoff game, and started six, including the Wild Card game vs. New Orleans (1/3/88). Did not complete any of the games because of repeated injuries to his neck and shoulder. Completed 40 of his 81 regular-season pass attempts for 452 yards and four TDs with three interceptions. **1986:** Finished the season as the NFL's top rated quarterback and was selected as the NFC's starting quarterback for the Pro Bowl. Was a (AP) second-team All-Pro selection and (UPI) first-team All-NFC honoree. Set a Viking single-game record for passing yards vs. Washington (11/2/86) when he passed for 490 yards and four TDs. Also became the only player in the history of the NFL to pass for more than 450 yards in a single game twice in a career. Was named the NFC's offensive player-of-the-week when he threw, a personal-best, six TDs vs. Green Bay (9/28/86). Finished the season with 24 TDs — tops in the NFC, third in the NFL, and the third highest total in team history — despite missing two games with a thumb injury and one with an elbow injury. **1985:** Played every game but one, and threw for 3,522 yards and 19 TDs. For the second time in his career he threw for more than 300 yards in five different games. Completed 28 of 55 pass attempts for 436 yards and three TDs vs. Chicago (9/19/85). Finished the season with three consecutive 300-yard performances: vs. Tampa Bay (12/8/85), Atlanta (12/15/85), and Philadelphia (12/22/85). **1984:** Played in only nine games because of a shoulder separation sustained in game eight vs. Detroit (10/21/84). Tried to come back in game 12 vs. Denver (11/18/84) but re-injured the shoulder and did not play again that season. **1983:** Tore ligaments in his right knee in game three vs. Tampa Bay (9/18/83) and had surgery and spent the remainder of the season on injured reserve. **1982:** Surpassed Fran Tarkenton's Viking career record of nine 300-yard passing games and completed 176 of 308 pass attempts for 2,037 yards. **1981:** Despite missing the first two games of the regular season with a sore left knee — he led the NFC in pass attempts, completions, and yards and established the current Viking single-season records for attempts (593), yards (3,912) and TDs (26). Passed for more than 300 yards in five separate games and his 444 yards vs. San Diego (10/11/81) was the most by an NFC quarterback that year. Holds various other Viking records: 400-yard games (four), 300-yard game (19), four-TD games (nine), pass completions in a single-game (38, twice), and most consecutive completions (16 vs. Green Bay 11/11/79). Became the starting quarterback in 1979, when Fran Tarkenton retired, and threw for over 3,000 yards in each of his first three seasons. Was the 27th player selected in the 1977 draft and the only quarterback ever drafted by the Vikings in the first round.

Tommy Kramer continued

COLLEGE: Was a consensus All-America choice as a senior when he led the NCAA in passing and total offensive yardage. Completed 269 of 501 passes for 3,317 yards and 21 touchdowns as a senior for the Owls. Was named to the All-Southwest Conference team of the century and has a degree in business administration.

PERSONAL: Born Thomas Francis Kramer in San Antonio, Tex., where he attended Robert E. Lee High School and played basketball and football. Led the team to the 1971 Texas state football championship. Three of his older brothers were college quarterbacks and his father, the late Col. John Kramer, coached at Texas Lutheran for six years. Enjoys golf, racquetball, tennis, skating and skiing. Married, wife's name is Carrie, and they have one daughter, Cassandra Jean (1/25/84), and live in Bloomington, Minn.

Passing

Year	Att	Comp	Yds	Pct	TD	Int	LG	Rtg.
1977	57	30	425	.526	5	4	*69t	*77.2
1978	16	5	50	.313	0	1	19	—
1979	*566	*315	*3397	*.557	*23	*24	*55t	*69.6
1980	*522	*299	*3582	.573	*19	*23	*76t	72.0
1981	*593	*322	*3912	*.543	*26	*24	*63	*72.8
1982	*308	*176	*2037	*.571	*15	*12	*65	*77.3
1983	82	55	550	.671	3	4	49	77.8
1984	*236	*124	*1678	.525	*9	10	*70t	*70.6
1985	*506	*277	*3522	.547	*19	*26	*57t	67.8
1986	*372	*208	*3000 T*	.559	*24	*10	*76t #	*92.6
1987	81	40	452	.494	4	3	40t	67.5
1988	173	83	1264	.480	5	T*9	47	60.5
Totals:	**3512**	**1934**	**23869**	**.550**	**152**	**150**	**76t**	**72.6**

Rushing

Year	Att	Yds	Avg	LG	TD
1977	10	3	—	—	—
1978	1	10	10.0	10	0
1979	31	131	T*4.2	20	0
1980	31	115	3.7	13	1
1981	10	13	1.3	7	0
1982	21	77	3.7	18t	*3
1983	8	3	.4	8	0
1984	15	9	.6	14	0
1985	27	54	2.0	11	0
1986	23	48	2.1	13	1
1987	10	44	4.4	15	2
1988	14	8	0.6	5	0
Totals:	**201**	**515**	**2.6**	**20**	**7**

Also: One 20-yard TD reception vs. Philadelphia, 9/9/84.

Playoffs: Started four playoff games: one in 1980 and completed 19 of 39 passes for 209 yards with one TD and five interceptions; two in 1983 and completed 38 of his 73 passes for 505 yards with two TDs and one interception; and one in 1987 and completed five of nine passes for 50 yards.

Games Played/Started: 1977 (6/1), 1978 (3/0), 1979 (16/16), 1980 (15/15), 1981 (14/14), 1982 (9/9), 1983 (3/3), 1984 (9/9), 1985 (15/15), 1986 (13/13), 1987 (6/5), 1988 (10/6) **Totals:** (119/106)

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CARL LEE 39

Cornerback | Marshall | Born: 4/6/61
Ht: 5-11½ | Wt: 188 | 7th Year (D7-83)

PRO: Was an (AP) All-Pro and (UPI) All-NFC selection in 1988 and was a starting cornerback in his first Pro Bowl after leading the Viking defense with eight pass interceptions in 1988. The eight passes intercepted tied for second in the NFC, third in the NFL, and ranks tied for second on the club single-season list. Started the first nine games at right cornerback and the last seven at left cornerback, because of an injury to Ike Holt, and was named the NFC co-defensive player-of-the-week (along with Jesse Solomon) vs. New Orleans (12/4/88) with three solo tackles, four passes defensed and a 58-yard interception return for a TD. Had four solo tackles, two passes defensed and

two pass interceptions, including a 48-yarder for a TD, vs. Miami (10/2/88); and had five solos, one assist, one pass break-up and two pass interceptions vs. Indianapolis (11/20/88). Entered 1989 ranked eighth all-time for the Vikings in career interceptions (16) and interception return yards (227). **1987:** Started all 12 regular-season and all three playoff games and finished sixth on the defense with 44 unassisted tackles and 18 assists, and tied for third on the team in pass interceptions (three) and forced fumbles (two). Had six tackles and one pass interception in the divisional victory over San Francisco (1/9/88). **1986:** Was moved from free safety to cornerback and finished the season third on the team with 64 solo tackles and sixth with 86 total tackles. Was second amongst defensive backs in total tackles and tied for third on the team with three pass interceptions. Led the defense vs. New Orleans (12/21/86) with 10 solo tackles, one assist and two pass interceptions. **1985:** Played in 15 games, and started five at free safety, and tied for second on the defense with three pass interceptions and led the club with 68 return yards. Finished eighth on the team with 87 total tackles, and led the special teams with 21 solo tackles and three assists. Was waived during training camp (8/27/85) and then re-signed (9/3/85). **1984:** Finished third amongst defensive backs, and fourth overall, with 100 total tackles. **1983:** Played in every game and started the last three at left cornerback and finished second on the special teams in tackles. Was the 35th defensive back, the 186th player, selected in the 1983 draft.

COLLEGE: Was selected All-Southern Conference as a junior and as a senior. Was a four-year starter and recorded 152 solo tackles, seven fumble recoveries and six pass interceptions. As a senior had 37 solo tackles and three pass interceptions. Led the team in tackles as a freshman, sophomore and senior while playing both cornerback and safety. Also ran track as a senior in 1982. College major was physical education.

PERSONAL: Born Carl Lee, III, in South Charleston, W.Va., where he attended South Charleston High School. Earned two letters each in basketball and track and three in football as a safety and flanker. Lived in Hurricane, W.Va., in the off-season with his wife, Donna, and thier son, Dominique Andrae (1/14/76).

Year	Tackles	Assists	Total Tackles	QB Sacks	Caused Fumb.	Recvd. Fumb.	Int/Yds.
1983	36	13	49	0	2	0	1/31
1984	63	37	100	0	0	0	1/0
1985	63	24	87	0	1	0	3/*68
1986	64	22	86	0	0	0	3/10
1987	44	18	62	0	2	0	3/53
1988	51	9	60	0	0	1	*8/*118
Totals:	**277**	**105**	**382**	**0**	**3**	**1**	**16/227**

Also: Returned two pass interceptions for TDs: 48 yards vs. Miami, 10/2/88 and 58 yards vs. New Orleans, 12/4/88.

Playoffs: Started all three post-season games in 1987 and had eight tackles and one interception; and started both playoff games in 1988 and had 12 tackles.

Games played/Started: 1983 (16/3), 1984 (16/14),1985(15/5), 1986 (16/16), 1987 (12/12), 1988 (16/16)

Totals: (91/66) * Team leader Includes special teams stats.

LEO LEWIS 87

Wide Receiver | Missouri | Born: 9/17/56
Ht: 5-8 | Wt: 167 | 9th Year (FA-81)

PRO: Surpassed Charlie West (820) and became the Vikings' all-time team leader in career punt return yards (961) and established new Viking records for punt returns (58) and yards (550) in a single season. Played in every game, and started one at flanker, and ranked fifth in the NFC in punt returns and ninth on the club in receiving. Returned five punts for 98 yards, including a season-long and the seventh longest return in team history, 64-yarder vs. Chicago (12/19/88). Caught two passes for 58 yards, including a 46-yard TD pass, in the loss to Green Bay (10/16/88). **1987:** Established one club regular-season record with a 12.5-yard average per punt return. Returned a punt 78 yards for a TD vs. Atlanta (11/22/87), thus becoming the first Viking to score on a punt return since Charlie West in 1968. His 24.5-yard average per return in that game ranks second all-time on the Viking single-game list. Led the team in punt returns and yards, and finished fourth on the club in receiving. Led the offense vs. Detroit (12/20/87) and scored the lone Viking TD, a 23-yarder, vs. Washington in the NFC Championship game (1/17/88). **1986:** Ranked fourth on the team in receiving and third in yards, and set a Viking single-game record with a 53.0-yard average-per-catch vs. Washington (11/2/86) when he caught three passes for 159 yards and two TDs. **1985:** Was the Vikings sixth leading receiver with 29 receptions. Started the first ten games of the season but suffered a sprained right arch and missed the remaining six games. Was third on the team in receptions and second in yards at the time of the injury. Caught a game-winning 26-yard TD pass vs. San Diego (10/20/85). **1984:** Led the Viking team in receiving (47), yards (830), and TDs receiving (four) and ranked seventh in the NFC in reception yards. His 17.7-yard average-per-catch ranked 10th all-time for the Vikings in a single season. Started only five games but led the team in receiving yards in seven games. **1983:** Missed only one game, with a sore knee, and finished with 12 receptions 127 yards. **1982:** Played every game and tied for third on the team in scoring with three TDs. Had two TDs vs. Detroit (12/19/82) — 5 yards, and 39 yards. **1981:** Signed as a free agent with the Vikings and was waived in training camp and later re-signed by the team. Was active for the final six games and played in four. Originally signed with the Cardinals as a free agent in 1979, but was cut, and in 1980 he played five games with Calgary and one with Hamilton in the Canadian Football League before coming to Minnesota.

COLLEGE: Played quarterback and wide receiver, and was a three-year starter and four-year letterman for the Tigers. Graduated with a degree in education from the University of Missouri.

PERSONAL: Born Leo E. Lewis, III, in Columbia, Mo., where he won three letters each in football, basketball and track at Hickman High School. Played quarterback, kicker and punter on the 1974 state championship team, earning all-state honors. His father, Leo Jr., is a member of the CFL Hall of Fame. Directs an annual football clinic in his hometown of Columbia as well as a series of clinics in the Twin Cities area. Earned his master's degree in education from the University of Tennessee in 1985 and spent the past three off-seasons teaching physical education courses at the University of Minnesota where he is working on his Ph.D. program. Leo and his wife, Benita, have one daughter, Lauren Michelle (4/8/86), and live in Eden Prairie, Minn.

Receiving

Year	No	Yds	Avg	LG	TD
1981	2	58	*28.0	52	0
1982	8	150	18.8	39t	3
1983	12	127	10.6	18	0
1984	*47	*830	17.7	56	*4
1985	29	442	15.2	43t	3
1986	32	600	18.8	*76t	2
1987	24	383	16.0	36	2
1988	11	141	12.8	46t	1
Totals:	**165**	**2731**	**16.6**	**76t**	**15**

Also: Has rushed 15 times for 8 yards. Has three kickoff returns for 68 yards, and 95 punt returns for 961 yards, a 10.1-yard average, with a long of 78 yards, and one TD.

Playoffs: Played in both post-season games following the 1982 season but had no receptions; started all three playoff games in 1987 and had seven receptions for 86 yards and one TD; and played in both games following the 1988 season and had four receptions for 28 yards.

Games played/Started: 1981 (4/1), 1982 (9/0), 1983 (14/4), 1984 (16/5), 1985 (10/10), 1986 (16/16), 1987 (12/12), 1988 (16/1) **Totals:** (97/49) * Team leader

KIRK LOWDERMILK 63

Center | Ohio State | Born: 4/10/63
Ht: 6-3 | Wt: 263 | 5th Year (D3a-85)

PRO: Was an (AP) honorable mention All-Pro in 1988 despite missing four games with a broken right thumb that he suffered vs. Philadelphia in game four. Spent the ensuing four weeks on IR before returning to active duty on the kickoff teams vs. San Francisco (10/30/88). Resumed starting spot vs. Detroit (11/6/88). **1987:** Replaced Dennis Swilley at center and started all 12 regular-season and all three post-season games and was the youngest starting center in the league. Sustained a sprained knee vs. Tampa Bay (11/15/87) and left the game but returned when Swilley suffered a broken leg a few plays later. **1986:** Played the final 11 games, primarily on special teams, after spending the first five weeks of the season on injured reserve with a knee injury that he incurred during training camp. **1985:** Played in all 16 games as the long snapper and backup center. Started two games: vs. Tampa Bay (12/8/85) and Atlanta (12/15/85), and also played on the kickoff return team. Was Minnesota's first, of three, third-round draft selections, the fourth center and the 59th player chosen overall, in the 1985 NFL draft.

COLLEGE: Was named first-team All-Big Ten and second-team All-America in 1984 despite missing the final three games of the regular season with a broken leg. Returned to the starting lineup for the Rose Bowl contest that year. Was selected to play in the 1984 Japan Bowl and also played in the Fiesta, Holiday and Liberty Bowls while at OSU. Earned four letters for the Buckeyes and was a two-year starter. Was also a varsity wrestler for two years at Ohio State. College major was mechanical engineering.

PERSONAL: Born Robert Kirk Lowdermilk in Canton, Ohio, and attended Salem (Ohio) Senior High School. Was the state heavyweight wrestling champion in 1980 and also played three years of baseball. His brother-in-law, Rich Karlis, is the placekicker for the Denver Broncos. Kirk and his wife, Kellee, have two daughters, Ashley (4/7/86) and Allyson (4/24/89) and live in Carrollton, Ohio.

Playoffs: Started all three post-season games in 1987 and both playoff games in 1988.

Games played/Started: 1985 (16/2), 1986 (11/0), 1987 (12/12) 1988 (12/11) **Totals:** (51/25)

DOUG MARTIN 79

Defensive End	Washington	Born: 5/22/57
Ht: 6-3	Wt: 258	10th Year (D1-80)

PRO: Sustained a knee injury vs. New Orleans (12/4/88) and missed the final two games of the regular season and both playoff games after undergoing surgery to repair the left knee. Also missed the first three weeks of the season after agreeing to contract terms in September. Had six total tackles, including a 5-yard sack vs. Dallas (11/13/88) and six tackles, and a 13-yard sack the following week vs. Indianapolis (11/20/88). Entered 1989 ranked fourth on the club's all-time sack (60½) and sack yardage (474) list and tied for ninth on the all-time forced fumble (10) list. **1987:** Ranked second on the defense during the regular season with nine sacks and was 10th overall defensively with 35 total tackles. Had sacks in eight of the 12 regular-season games including four consecutive games in November. **1986:** Was named the NFC defensive player-of-the-month in September after having eight unassisted tackles, six assists, three sacks, two forced fumbles, and one fumble recovery in the first four games of the year. Started 15 games and finished 11th on the defense with 49 total tackles. Led the defense with three forced fumbles and was second with nine sacks. Missed the final game of the season vs. New Orleans (12/21/86) with injured ribs. **1985:** Played in all 16 games and ranked 11th on the club with 75 total tackles. Recovered a fumble vs. San Francisco (9/8/85) and returned it 29-yards to set up a tying TD run. Caused an interception vs. Buffalo (9/29/85), that was returned 63 yards by Tim Newton, which also set up a Viking score. **1984:** Played in 13 games but started only six because of injuries. Sprained an ankle in game two vs. Philadelphia (9/9/84) and did not fully recover until he moved back into the starting lineup for game 12 vs. Denver (11/18/84). **1983:** Led the Viking defense in sacks for the third consecutive season. Was the defensive line leader in tackles and ranked eighth on the team overall. Had 39 yards on three sacks vs. Green Bay (10/23/83) which is the Viking all-time high for sack yardage in a single game. **1982:** Was moved from right to left defensive end and responded by being named All-NFL (PFW), All-NFC (PFW, UPI) and tying for the league lead with 10½ sacks. Had his only career pass interception vs. Detroit (12/19/82). Also caused a fumble, which led to a 44-yard TD return by Charlie Johnson, and had three sacks in that game. Started one game in 1980 and then the first eight games of 1981 at right defensive end. Was the third defensive lineman, and the ninth player, selected in the 1980 college draft.

COLLEGE: Was a four-year starter and second-team All-America selection as a senior. Was named the most valuable lineman in the 1979 Sun Bowl. He had knee surgery in the spring of 1979, which limited his playing time throughout the 1979 season. College major was communications.

PERSONAL: Born Douglas Martin in Fairfield, Calif., and graduated from Armijo High School. His older brother, George, recently retired after spending 14 seasons as a defensive lineman for the New York Giants. Lived in Kirkland, Wash., in the off-season and attended the University of Washington, earning credits toward his degree. Also worked as a real estate agent in that area. He's married, wife's name is Audrey, and they have two boys, Kyle, (9/29/83), and Kory, (4/14/85)

Year	Tackles	Assists	Total Tackles	QB Sacks	Forced Fumb.	Recvd. Fumb.	Int/Yds.
1980	10	15	25	5	0	0	0/0
1981	41	34	75	T*6	1	0	0/0
1982	31	14	45	#*10½	*3	0	1/0
1983	57	28	85	*12	2	2	0/0
1984	22	19	41	1	0	0	0/0
1985	42	33	75	4	1	2	0/0
1986	37	12	49	9	*3	2	0/0
1987	27	8	35	9	0	0	0/0
1988	18	15	33	4	0	0	0/0
Totals:	**285**	**178**	**463**	**60½**	**10**	**6**	**1/0**

Also: Intercepted one pass vs. Detroit, 12/19/82.

Playoffs: Started one playoff game in 1980 and had three tackles, and one-half sack for minus three yards; started both post-season games in 1982 and had six tackles; and started all three playoff games in 1987 and had six total tackles; missed the 1988 post-season games with a knee injury.

Games played/Started: 1980 (11/1), 1981 (16/9), 1982 (9/9), 1983 (16/16), 1984 (13/6), 1985 (16/15), 1986 (15/15), 1987 (12/12), 1988 (11/10) **Totals:** (119/93)

* Team Leader T Tied for Team Lead # League Leader Includes special teams stats.

SUPER BOWL DATES AND SITES THROUGH 1991

XXIV	January 28, 1990 — New Orleans Superdome
XXV	January 27, 1991 — Tampa Stadium
XXVI	January 25, 1992 — Hubert H. Humphrey Metrodome, Minneapolis

RANDALL McDANIEL 64

Guard	Arizona State	Born: 12/19/64
Ht: 6-4	Wt: 275	2nd Year (D1-88)

PRO: Earned (UPI, Pro Football News) All-Rookie honors and (UPI) second team All-NFC honors after starting at left guard for the club for the final 15 regular-season and both playoff games in 1988. Became the starter in week two vs. New England (9/11/88) because of an injury to Dave Huffman. The 15 games started ties a Viking team record for starts in a single season by a rookie guard. Was the fourth offensive lineman, the first guard, and the 19th pick overall in the 1988 college draft.

COLLEGE: Was a (Kodak, College and Pro Football Newsweekly) first-team All-America selection, first-team All-Pac 10 selection and was the recipient of the Morris Trophy as the conference's outstanding offensive lineman in 1987. Was the ABC TV player-of-the-game vs. Nebraska and led an offensive line that averaged 277 pounds and enabled the Sun-Devil offense to gain 191 yards-per-game on the ground. Was a first-team All-Pac 10 and honorable mention All-America selection in 1986. Also was the 275-pound class champion at the American Drug Free Powerlifting Association collegiate championships that year and held the collegiate record with a 620-pound deadlift. Became a starter in 1984, and started 39 consecutive games for the Sun-Devils after moving from tight end and learning the guard duties in eight days. Played in three Bowl games — Rose, Holiday and Peach — and three All-Star games: Japan, Senior and the East-West Shrine game. Graduated with a degree in physical education.

PERSONAL: Born Randall Cornell McDaniel in Phoenix, Ariz., and was an all-state tight end and linebacker at Agua Fria High in Avondale. Ariz. Lettered three times in football and basketball and twice in track. Younger brother, Kerry, plays linebacker for the Sun-Devils. Spent the off-season playing basketball with the Vikings Charity team and made appearances locally to benefit Catholic Charities. Was a frequent visitor to local childrens hospitals and was a "guest reader" to elementary students in Arizona. Married, wife's name is Marianne, and they live in Eden Prairie, Minn.

Games played/Started: 1988 (16/15)

Playoffs: Was the starting left guard for both playoff games in 1988.

AUDREY McMILLIAN 26

Cornerback | Houston | Born: 8/13/62
Ht: 6-0 | Wt: 190 | 4th Year (FA-89)

PRO: Signed as a free agent with the Vikings (3/16/89) after playing three seasons with the Houston Oilers. Spent the entire 1988 season on the Oiler's injured reserve roster with a knee injury after being placed on IR (8/29/88). **1987:** Played in all 12 non-strike games; started two at left cornerback and totaled 25 tackles. Responded with a career-high nine total tackles and four pass break ups in his first NFL start, vs. San Diego (12/6/88), and added six tackles and one pass defensed as a starter the following week vs. New Orleans (12/13/87). Played in the Wild Card playoff victory over Seattle (1/3/87), but missed the divisional playoff vs. Denver (1/10/88) with an injured knee. **1986:** Played in all 16 games and finished with 11 total tackles, two fumble recoveries, and one blocked punt. Blocked the punt vs. Detroit (10/5/86). **1985:** Was acquired by the Oilers before the season began and appeared in all 16 games primarily as a special teams player. Finished the season with nine total tackles and also forced one fumble, vs. Pittsburgh (11/17/85). Was originally the third round pick of the Patriots, the 84th player selected in the 1985 draft, but was waived in the Patriots final roster cutdown and claimed by the Oilers.

COLLEGE: Was a five-year letterman, having been red-shirted in 1981 with a shoulder separation. Spent the first three seasons at quarterback for the Cougars before being shifted to safety in 1983. Was the first freshman in school history to be named starting quarterback and earned ABC-TV player-of-the-game honors vs. SMU. Career defensive statistics include 122 tackles (81 solos), one fumble recovery, and seven pass interceptions. Had 94 tackles as senior tri-captain in 1984 and earned first-team All-Southwest Conference honors. Had a season-high 15 tackles vs. TCU and returned an interception 25 yards for a touchdown in the Cotton Bowl that year. Led the team with four pass interceptions as a junior in 1983 despite missing four games with a fractured clavicle. Had 11 tackles, three passes defensed and a interception vs. Texas A & M. Started only six games as an option quarterback between 1980-82 before shifting to the defense. Graduated with a degree in business technology.

PERSONAL: Born Audrey Glenn McMillian in Carthage, Texas where he attended Carthage Senior High. Was a three-time all-district choice and East Texas Most Valuable Offensive Player as a senior. Also lettered, and was an all-district choice, in track and basketball. Works closely with the Fellowship of Christian Athletes, Big Brothers and Big Sisters, and with a center for the retarded. Spent the off-season working for Northwestern Mutual Life Insurance Company. He's married, wife's name is Lisa. They have a son, Michael Scott (2/20/89), and live in Missouri City, Texas.

Year	Tackles	Assists	Total Tackles	QB Sacks	Caused Fumb.	Recvd. Fumb.	Int/Yds.
#1985	6	3	9	0	1	0	0/0
#1986	8	3	11	0	0	2	0/0
#1987	17	8	25	0	0	0	0/0
#1988	0	0	0	0	0	0	0/0
Totals:	**31**	**14**	**45**	**0**	**1**	**2**	**0/0**

Also: Blocked one punt vs. Detroit, 10/5/86.

Playoffs: Played in the Oilers Wild Card win over Seattle, 1/3/89 and missed the divisional loss to Denver, 1/10/89 with a knee injury.

Games played/Started: #1985 (16/0), #1986 (16/0), #1987 (12/2) #1988 (0/0) **Totals:** (44/2)

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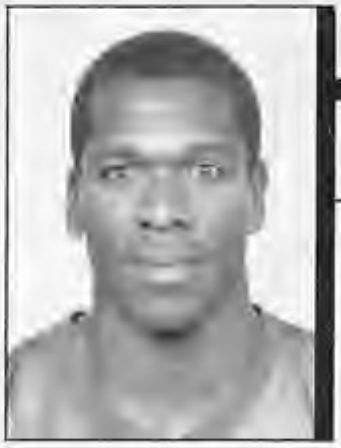

MIKE MERRIWEATHER 57

Linebacker	Pacific	Born: 11/26/60
Ht: 6-2	Wt: 219	7th Year (T-89)

PRO: Was acquired by the Vikings, from Pittsburgh, in a last-minute deal on draft day in exchange for the Vikings 1989 first-round draft choice — the 24th pick overall. Is a three-time Pro Bowl player who sat out the entire 1988 season because of contractual disagreements with the Steelers. Holds the Steeler record for sacks in a single-season (15), was only the fourth linebacker in team history to be named team Most Valuable Player (1987), and had been among the top three in tackles for the Steelers for five straight years (1983-87). **1987:** Was named team MVP and second-team All-AFC and was the only player in the league to earn player-of-the-week honors twice. Had a team high 5½ sacks and three fumble recoveries. Was named player-of-the-week on opening day vs. San Francisco after turning in nine tackles, one pass interception - which set up a fourth quarter TD, and one forced fumble - which was returned for a TD by teammate Delton Hall. Was also named player-of-the-week vs. Kansas City in game nine when he had seven tackles, two and one-half sacks and one pass interception. **1986:** Earned (AP) All-NFL honorable mention honors and was voted to his third consecutive Pro Bowl after finishing second on the Steeler defense with a career-high 102 tackles. Was also credited with six sacks, two interceptions, three forced fumbles and two fumble recoveries. Had five or more tackles in 11 of the 16 games that season. **1985:** Was named to his second straight Pro Bowl after finishing second on the team with 98 total tackles. Scored his second career TD on a 35-yard interception return vs. Denver (12/1/85). **1984:** Capped a sensational season with his first appearance in the Pro Bowl. Established a team single-season record for sacks (15), and led the Steeler defense with 98 total tackles. Had three sacks in three different games and had at least one sack in nine of the 16 games played that year. **1983:** Became a starter when Hall-of-Famer, Jack Ham retired. Had a career-high three interceptions and was second on the team with 93 total tackles. Returned an interception 31-yards for his first-ever NFL TD vs. Cleveland (10/16/83). **1982:** Was the Steelers third-round choice, the 70th player selected overall, and played as a special-teamer and backup to Ham as a rookie.

COLLEGE: Completed his career as a four-year starter with 312 tackles (150 solo), 19 sacks and five pass interceptions. Was the runner-up as the Pacific Coast Conference defensive player-of-the-year and earned (NEA) All-America honors. Was a two-time all-conference selection and played in the East-West Shrine game. Has a degree in history.

PERSONAL: Born Michael Lamar Merriweather in Albans, New York and attended Vallejo (Calif.) Senior High. Was voted the team MVP as a senior linebacker and tight end. Married, wife's name is Djuna, and they have a baby girl, Sarah (3/5/88), and live in Stockton, California.

Year	Tackles	Assists	Total Tackles	QB Sacks	Caused Fumb.	Recvd. Fumb.	Int/Yds.
#1982	11	7	18	0	0	0	0/0
#1983	52	41	93	½	0	0	3/55
#1984	69	29	98	15	0	1	2/9
#1985	75	23	98	4	0	0	2/36
#1986	72	30	102	6	3	2	2/14
#1987	56	9	65	5½	3	3	2/26
Totals:	**335**	**139**	**474**	**31**	**6**	**6**	**11/140**

Also: Returned two interceptions for TDs: vs. Cleveland, 10/16/84 and Denver, 12/1/85.

Games played/Started: #1982 (9/0), #1983 (16/16), #1984 (16/16), #1985 (16/16), #1986 (16/16), #1987 (12/12), #1988 (0/0) **Totals:** (85/76) # with Pittsburgh Steelers

Includes special teams stats

1988 FINAL NFL STANDINGS

AFC

Eastern Division	W	L	T	Pct	Pts	OP
*Buffalo	12	4		0.750	329	237
Indianapolis	9	7		0.563	354	315
New England	9	7		0.563	250	284
N.Y. Jets	8	7		1.531	372	354
Miami	6	10		0.375	319	380

Central Division	W	L	T	Pct	Pts	OP
*Cincinnati	12	4		0.750	448	329
**Cleveland	10	6		0.625	304	288
**Houston	10	6		0.625	424	365
Pittsburgh	5	11		0.313	336	421

Western Division	W	L	T	Pct	Pts	OP
*Seattle	9	7		0.563	339	329
Denver	8	8		0.500	327	352
L.A. Raiders	7	9		0.438	325	369
San Diego	6	10		0.375	231	332
Kansas City	4	11		1.281	254	320

NFC

Eastern Division	W	L	T	Pct	Pts	OP
*Philadelphia	10	6		0.625	379	319
N.Y. Giants	10	6		0.625	359	304
Washington	7	9		0.438	345	387
Phoenix	7	9		0.438	344	398
Dallas	3	13		0.188	265	381

Central Division	W	L	T	Pct	Pts	OP
*Chicago	12	4		0.750	312	215
**Minnesota	11	5		0.688	406	233
Tampa Bay	5	11		0.313	261	350
Detroit	4	12		0.250	220	313
Green Bay	4	12		0.250	240	315

Western Division	W	L	T	Pct	Pts	OP
*San Francisco	10	6		0.625	369	294
**L.A. Rams	10	6		0.625	407	293
New Orleans	10	6		0.625	312	283
Atlanta	5	11		0.313	244	315

AFC / Wild Card Game
Houston 24, Cleveland 23
Divisional Playoffs
Buffalo 17, Houston 10
Cincinnati 21, Seattle 13
Championship Game
Cincinnati 21, Buffalo 10

Super Bowl XXIII
San Francisco 20, Cincinnati 16

NFC / Wild Card Game
Minnesota 28, L.A. Rams 17
Divisional Playoffs
San Francisco 34, Minnesota 9
Chicago 20, Philadelphia 12
Championship Game
San Francisco 28, Chicago 3

KEITH MILLARD 75

Defensive Tackle | Washington State | Born 3/18/62
Ht: 6-5 | Wt: 264 | 5th Year (D1-84)

PRO: Was an All-Pro selection and the starting defensive tackle for the NFC in the Pro-Bowl. Tied for the team lead in sacks (eight) and recovered fumbles (two); led all Viking defensive linemen and finished fourth overall on the defense with 90 total tackles. Played in 15 games — missed the Indianapolis game (11/20/88) with injured ribs — and led the defense in tackles twice: vs. Green Bay (10/16/88) with ten solo tackles, and two assists; vs. Philadelphia (9/25/88) with eight solo tackles, including four sacks for minus 21 yards, and four assists. The four sacks is the second best single-game effort in team history. Had four tackles, one sack, one fumble recovery (which led to a Viking TD) and one forced fumble, which was returned 2-yards for a Viking TD by Henry Thomas vs. Dallas (11/13/88). Had 10 tackles, one sack, and one forced fumble vs. Chicago (12/19/88). **1987:** Missed three games, and most of a fourth, with a torn calf muscle and finished the season with 33 total tackles. Was fourth on the team in sacks and tied for the team lead with two fumble recoveries. Recovered both fumbles vs. Tampa Bay (11/15/87) and they led to 10 Viking points. Returned to the starting lineup for the final game of the regular season vs. Washington (12/26/87). Led the defense with five solo tackles, one assist, a 4-yard sack and a forced fumble vs. New Orleans in the playoffs. **1986:** Was named second-team All-NFL (NEA) after leading the team in sacks and sack yards for the second consecutive year. Started 15 games — missed the Cincinnati game (11/23/86) with a sore knee — and ranked third on the defense in solo tackles (57) and eighth overall in total tackles (72). Intercepted the first pass of his career vs. Pittsburgh (9/21/86) and forced one fumble and recovered another vs. New Orleans (12/21/86). Had three sacks for minus 27 yards vs. Cleveland (10/26/86). The 27 yards lost in that game ranks seventh all-time for the Vikings in a single game. **1985:** Was the team leader in sacks and sack yardage while playing in all 16 games and starting only five. Best game that year was vs. Philadelphia (12/1/85) with seven solo tackles, two assists, one and one-half sacks and one forced fumble — which was returned 65 yards for a TD by Willie Teal. Was the first round pick of the Vikings in 1984 but chose instead to sign with the Jacksonville Bulls of the USFL. Joined the Bulls in 1984 and played the 1985 USFL season in Jacksonville before signing with the Vikings during training camp in 1985. Originally was the fourth defensive lineman, and the 13th player, selected in the 1984 NFL draft.

COLLEGE: Was named All-Pac 10 and won the 1983 Morris Award as the top defensive lineman in the conference as a senior. Was also named (AP) honorable mention All-America and played in the East-West Shrine Game and the Senior Bowl. As a senior ranked second for the Cougars in tackles (80) and led the team in sacks (12½) and tackles-for-loss (six). In 1983 had four games with ten or more tackles. As a freshman in1980 played tight end, as a sophomore was moved to defensive tackle and became a starter as a junior in 1982 and finshed second on the defensive with 84 total tackles.

PERSONAL: Born Keith Joseph Millard in Pleasanton, Calif., where he attended Foothill High and played outside linebacker and tight end. Married, wife's name is Sallie, and they recently moved to Bloomington, Minn. They have one son, Dustin Joseph (1/18/88).

Year	Tackles	Assists	Total Tackles	QB Sacks	Caused Fumb.	Recvd. Fumb.	Int/Yds.
1985	38½	19	57½	*11	1	1	0/0
1986	57	15	72	*10½	2	1	1/17
1987	27	6	33	3½	1	T*2	0/0
1988	70	20	90	T*8	3	T*2	0/0
Totals	**192½**	**60**	**252½**	**33**	**7**	**6**	**1/17**

Also: Intercepted one pass vs. Pittsburgh, 9/21/86.

Playoffs: Played in all three post-season games in 1987, and started the first two, and had 12 total tackles, one sack and one forced fumble; and started both playoff games in 1988 and had 10 total tackles.

Games played/Started: 1985 (16/5), 1986 (15/15), 1987 (9/8), 1988 (15/15) **Totals:** (55/43)

* Team leader T Tied for team lead Includes special team stats.

CHUCK NELSON 1

Kicker Washington Born: 2/23/60
Ht: 5-11½ Wt: 175 6th Year (FA-86)

PRO: Was named second-team All-NFC, finished fourth in the conference, and led the Viking team in scoring last season with 108 points. Established club single-season records for PAT's attempted (49) and made (48). His 293 career points scored ranks seventh all-time for the Vikings. Entered 1989 ranked third in career PAT attempts (133), PAT's made (128), and is tied for second in career accuracy (71.4%). Was the only Viking to score in two games in 1988: vs. Indianapolis (11/20/88) when he kicked a regular-season personal-best four FGs (25,26,30 and a game-clinching 49-yarder), and vs. Green Bay (12/11/88) when he accounted for all six Viking points on two FGs (38 and 37 yards). Kicked a 32-yard game-winner vs. Philadelphia (9/25/88) with 15 seconds remaining to be played. **1987:** Set an NFL single-game playoff record with five field goals vs. San Francisco (1/9/88). Established nine Viking post-season records: four season playoff records — points, FGs attempted/made, and FG percentage; and five single-game playoff records: points, FGs attempted/made, FG percentage, and longest FG. Led the team in scoring during the regular season with 75 points and finished ninth in the NFC. **1986:** Finished third in the NFC and fourth overall in the league in scoring with 110 points. Ranked second in the conference in FG percentage (79%) and the 110 points scored were the most by a Viking player since Chuck Foreman's 132 in 1975, and the most by a Viking kicker since Fred Cox's 125 points in 1970. Had a 28-yard FG in overtime which beat the 49ers 27-24 in San Francisco (10/12/86) and his 22 field goals that year ranks fifth for the Vikings in a single-season. Had a career-long (tied for second all-time for the team) 53-yarder vs. Tampa Bay (11/30/86) and a 50-yarder (seventh all-time) vs. New Orleans (12/21/86). Became the Viking kicker in 1986 when he beat out five other kickers for the right to replace Jan Stenerud, who retired. Was originally drafted by the Los Angeles Rams on the fourth round in 1983 and played 12 games with the Rams that season. Was released by the Rams in August 1984 and signed by Buffalo for the final seven games of 1984. Did not play football in 1985.

Chuck Nelson continued

COLLEGE: Had an outstanding collegiate career at Washington including 11 school records, 11 Pac-10 records, and eight NCAA records. Set an NCAA record for consecutive field goals (30) during his junior and senior seasons and ranked second all-time in NCAA history in career FG percent (82%). Was a consensus first-team All-America selection in 1982 and a three-time All-Pac 10 choice. Established two Washington career records: scoring (271 points), and field goals (59). College long was 51 yards, which he accomplished twice. Played in two Rose Bowls and an Aloha Bowl. Also was a two-time academic All-America selection and was awarded an NCAA post-graduate scholarship. Has a degree in business administration.

PERSONAL: Born Charles LaVerne Nelson in Seattle, Wash., and attended Everett (Wash.) Senior High. Was a QB, punter, all-conference placekicker, and also played basketball and golf. Carries a three handicap in golf and also likes to play basketball, and read. Travelled to China, with the NFL Players Association during the off-season and also worked with Washington's athletic department funding office. Was selected by his Viking teammates in 1988 as the team's recipient of the Byron "Whizzer" White award which recognizes team and community contributions. Chuck and his wife, Nanette, own a home in Seattle, Wash., and live in Eden Prairie, Minn.

	Field Goal Distance									
Year	**1-19**	**20-29**	**30-39**	**40-49**	**50+**	**FG Total**	**FG Pct.**	**P.A.T.**	**Pct.**	**Total Points**
#1983	0-0	1-3	3-4	1-4	0-0	5-11	.455	33-37	.891	48
$1984	0-0	0-0	2-3	1-3	0-0	3-6	.500	14-14	1.000	23
1985	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1986	0-0	7-8	9-10	4-7	2-3	22-28	.785	44-47	.936	110
1987	0-0	10-12	2-4	0-6	1-2	13-24	.542	36-37	.973	75
1988	2-3	7-7	10-10	1-5	-	20-25	.800	48-49	.980	108
Totals:	**2-3**	**25-40**	**26-31**	**6-25**	**3-5**	**63-94**	**.670**	**175-184**	**.951**	**364**

Also: Punted three times for 72 yards, and a 24-yard average vs. Cleveland, 10/26/86.

Playoffs: Played in all three post-season games in 1987 and scored a club-record 36 points (9/9 FGs, 9 PATs); and played in both playoff games in 1988 and scored seven points (1/2 FGs, 4/5 PATs).

Games played/Started: #1983 (12), $1984 (7), 1986 (16), 1987 (12) 1988 (16) **Totals:** (63)

with L.A. Rams $ with Buffalo Bills

DARRIN NELSON 20

Running Back	Stanford	Born: 1/2/59
Ht: 5-9	Wt: 185	8th Year (D1-82)

PRO: Led the team in rushing attempts and yards for the fourth straight year despite missing two games with an ankle injury and one game with a hamstring injury. Was the team leader in attempts and yards six times last season. In the opener vs. Buffalo (9/4/88) he gained 50 yards on 10 attempts, including a season-long 27-yarder on his first carry. The following week vs. New England (9/11/88) with 68 yards on 13 rushes, including an 8-yard TD run. It was his only TD of the season and moved him into ninth on the club's all-time rushing TD (16) list. Gained a team-leading 52 yards on 13 carries and added 43 yards on four receptions vs. Tampa Bay (10/9/88) and led the team with 60 yards on the ground vs. New Orleans (12/4/88). Is one of only two active players in the league, and 14 in NFL history, to surpass the 2,000-yard mark in rushing, receiving and return yardage. Entered 1989 with 11 other top-ten career rankings: third in rushing average (4.3), kick return yards (1,994), and combined net yards (8,211), tied for third in kickoff returns (85), fourth in punt return average (8.0), fifth in rushing attempts (912), yards (3,892), and combined attempts (1,261), eighth in receptions (225) and kick return average (23.5), and ninth in punt return yards (313). **1987:** Was the team leader in rushing and his 4.9-yard average led the NFL. Had a career-long, 72-yard run vs. Denver (10/25/87), the longest run from scrimmage in the NFC and the longest non-scoring run, and fourth-longest run overall, in team history. Had two 100-yard performances (the fifth and sixth of his career): vs. Tampa Bay (10/18/87) and Dallas (11/26/87). Scored his only two TDs of the season vs. Dallas: a 52-yard run in the third quarter and a 24-yard game-winner in overtime. **1986:** Led the Vikings in rushing, was second in receiving and tied for second in TDs. Was fourth in the NFC amongst running backs in receiving and ninth in total yards from scrimmage. Had his fourth career 100-yard rushing effort vs. Cleveland (10/26/86). **1985:** Led the team in rushing. Tied for third on the team in receiving and was third in scoring. Had back-to-back career bests: vs. Detroit (11/3/85), 122 yards on 25 carries; and vs. Green Bay (11/10/85), 21 carries for 146 yards and one TD. Had a personal-best 12 receptions vs. San Diego (10/20/85) which is tied for second on the team all-time single-game list. **1984:** Ranked third on the club in rushing and fifth in receiving and third in the NFC and sixth in the league in kickoff return average. **1983:** Led the Vikings in rushing and receiving and led the conference in kickoff return average. Had his first 100-yard rushing effort vs. Green Bay (11/13/83) gaining 119 yards on 16 carries. Also caught seven passes for 137 yards in that game which — combined with a 22-yard kickoff return — established a club single-game record for combined net yards (278). His season total of 1,705 combined yards is fourth all-time for a single-season. Scored his first professional TD on a 56-yard run vs. Chicago (10/9/83). **1982:** Started four games, including the opener, thus becoming the first rookie running back ever to start a season opener for the Vikings. Was the first running back, and the seventh player, selected in the 1982 NFL draft.

COLLEGE: Surpassed three Heisman trophy winners to become the NCAA all-time, all-purpose yardage leader with 6,885 (4,033 rushing, 2,368 receiving, 484 return) yards. Was the first player in NCAA history to rush for 1,000 yards and catch 50 passes in the same season — a feat he accomplished three times (1977, 1978 and 1981). Against Washington State in 1980, while setting the Pac-10 mark for all-

Darrin Nelson continued

purpose yardage in a single game (369 yards), he became the first player in NCAA history to rush for 200 yards (202) and gain more than 100 yards receiving (167) in the same game. As a four-year starter, he set every Stanford career, season and game rushing record and six Pac-10 marks. Was named All-America as a senior and the second player in Pac-10 history to be named all-conference four times. He long jumped 26 feet to reach the 1978 NCAA track finals, and also reached the finals in the 100 meters in 1980. Has a degree in urban development and environmental planning.

PERSONAL: Born Darrin Milo Nelson in Sacramento, Calif. Participated in football and track at Pius X Senior High School in Downey (Calif.) and was an all-conference selection in both. Spent the off-season working for Piper Capital Management. His wife Camilla (Cam), obtained her law degree from the University of Minnesota and works as a special assistant to the State Attorney General. They have two boys, Jordan Darrin (3/5/84), and Alec (7/4/88), and live in Shorewood, Minn.

Rushing

Year	Att	Yds	Avg	LG	TD
1982	44	136	3.1	18	0
1983	*154	*642	4.2	*56t	1
1984	80	406	3.1	39	3
1985	*200	*893	*4.5	*37	5
1986	*191	*793	T*4.2	42	T*4
1987	*131	*642	*4.9	*72	2
1988	*112	*380	3.4	27	1
Totals:	**912**	**3892**	**4.3**	**72**	**16**

Receiving

Year	No	Yds	Avg	LG	TD
1982	9	100	11.1	22	0
1983	*51	*618	12.1	*68	0
1984	27	162	6.0	17	1
1985	43	301	7.0	25t	1
1986	53	593	11.2	34	3
1987	26	129	5.0	13	0
1988	16	105	6.6	27	0
Totals:	**225**	**2008**	**8.9**	**68**	**5**

Also: Returned 85 kickoffs for 1,998 yards, a 23.5 average, with a long of 50 yards, and returned 39 punts for 313 yards, an 8.0 average, with a long of 21 yards.

Playoffs: Played in two playoff games in 1982 and rushed five times for 28 yards; and started all three playoff games in 1987 and rushed 36 times for 130 yards (a 3.6-yard average) and caught four passes for 73 yards; and played in both post-season games in 1988 and rushed five times for 12 yards and caught one pass for 16 yards.

Games played/Started: 1982 (7/4), 1983 (15/9), 1984 (15/8), 1985 (16/10), 1986 (16/16), 1987 (10/9), 1988 (13/11) **Totals:** (92/67) * Team leader T Tied for Team Lead

TIM NEWTON 96

Defensive Tackle | Florida | Born: 3/23/63
Ht: 6-0 | Wt: 297 | 5th Year (D6b-85)

PRO: Started one game in 1988, in place of an injured Keith Millard vs. Indianapolis, (11/20/88) and responded with his best outing in two years: five solo tackles and two assists. Had three solo tackles, including a 12-yard sack vs. San Francisco (10/30/88) and had two solo tackles and a fumble recovery, which was converted into a Viking TD and an early 21-10 lead, vs. Tampa Bay (10/23/88). Missed the final two games of the regular season, and both playoff games, with a knee injury. Ranked 17th on the defense with 32 total tackles. **1987:** Had only 13 tackles after being replaced in the starting lineup by Henry Thomas. Missed three games (Atlanta, Dallas, and Chicago), and most of another (Green Bay) with a thigh contusion and was not active for the playoff victory vs. San Francisco (1/9/88). **1986:** Led the defensive line, and finished third overall on

the team in total tackles (92), and was also third on the team with five sacks. Was named defensive player-of-the-week by Sports Illustrated after recording 11 unassisted tackles, six assists and an 11-yard sack vs. San Francisco (10/12/86). Played in 14 games that year and started nine — missed games 13 and 16 with a toe injury. **1985:** Set a Viking career and single-season for defensive linemen with two pass interceptions. No other defensive lineman in team history has had more than two pass interceptions. Intercepted his first pass vs. Buffalo (9/29/85) and returned it 63 yards before being tackled, and the second interception came against Tampa Bay (12/8/85) on a pass deflection. The Buffalo interception led to a Viking touchdown and the one vs. Tampa led to Viking field goal. Played in all 16 games and was a 14 game starter. Finished the year with 106 total tackles which, combined with Chris Doleman's 113 tackles, marked the first time two Viking rookies reached the 100 tackle plateau in a single season. Ranked third on the team with six tackles-for-loss and was named to the Pro Football Writers All-Rookie team that year. Was the sixth defensive tackle, and the 164th player selected, in the 1985 NFL draft.

COLLEGE: Earned All-SEC and second-team All-America honors for the Gators in 1984. Was his team's second leading tackler that season with 77 tackles (52 solo, 25 assists). Career totals at Florida include 161 solo tackles, 95 assists, 12 tackles-for-loss, two caused fumbles, and 9½ sacks. Played in the Peach, Blue Bonnett and Gator Bowls as well as the 1985 Blue-Gray All-Star game. College major was recreation.

PERSONAL: Born Timothy Reginald Newton in Orlando, Fla., and attended Orlando Jones High School. Played every position, except quarterback, at one time or another on the high school team. Also participated in track, wrestling and basketball. Was an all-state and All-America selection in football as a senior. Younger brother, Nathaniel (Nate), is a starting offensive guard for the Dallas Cowboys. He's single and lives in Bloomington, Minn.

Year	Tackles	Assists	Total Tackles	QB Sacks	Caused Fumb.	Recvd. Fumb.	Int/Yds.
1985	64	42	106	2	1	1	#2/63
1986	54	38	92	5	0	1	0/0
1987	11	2	13	0	0	0	0/0
1988	24	8	32	1	1	1	0/0
Totals:	**153**	**90**	**243**	**8**	**2**	**3**	**2/63**

Also: Intercepted two passes in 1985: vs. Buffalo, 9/29/85, and Tampa Bay, 12/8/85.

Playoffs: Played in two of the three playoff games in 1987 and had four tackles. Missed the San Francisco game (1/8/88); and missed both post-season games in 1989 with a knee injury.

Games played/Started: 1985(16/14),1986(15/9), 1987 (9/0), 1988 (14/1) **Totals:** (54/24)

Record for Viking defensive lineman in a single season. Includes special team stats.

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Defensive Tackle | Hawaii | Born: 9/16/65
Ht: 6-1 | Wt: 259 | 2nd Year (D3-88)

PRO: Played in nine games and started one — the season opener vs. Buffalo (9/4/88) — and finished with seven total tackles in 1988. Missed six games (Tampa Bay through Dallas) while on the Non-Football Injury list with a viral infection; also missed game two vs. New England (9/11/88). Played primarily on the special teams where he had six total tackles. Was the 10th defensive lineman, the fifth tackle, and the 71st player selected overall in the 1988 draft.

COLLEGE: Was a third-team All-America and first-team all-conference selection and a finalist for the Outland Trophy. Was a four-year starter and holds school career records for sacks (33), tackles-for-loss (70) and caused fumbles (15). Finished second on the team in tackles in 1987 and led the team in tackles-for-loss and forced fumbles. Was named (AP) All-America and all-conference, and was the first player in school history to earn those honors, and was named the conference defensive player-of-the-year after setting Hawaii single-season records for sacks, tackles-for-loss and forced fumbles. Was an all-conference honoree in 1985 with 53 tackles and a team-leading eight sacks. College major was sociology

PERSONAL: Born Alapati Noga in American Samoa; his family moved to Hawaii when he was two. Was an all-state noseguard at Farrington Senior High in Honolulu. His older brother, Niko, is a starting middle linebacker with the Phoenix Cardinals. Spent the early part of the off-season in Honolulu, and then returned to the Twin Cities and enrolled in a martial arts training class. He is single and lives in Eden Prairie, Minn.

Year	Tackles	Assists	Total Tackles	QB Sacks	Caused Fumb.	Recvd. Fumb.	Int/Yds.
1988	5	2	7	0	0	0	0/0

Games played/Started: 1988 (9/1)

Playoffs: Played in both playoff games at the conclusion of the 1988 season and had two total tackles.

Includes special teams stats.

ROSTER CUT DOWN DATES

Tuesday, August 29 – 60 players
Monday, September 4 – 47 players

RANDY RASMUSSEN 52

Guard/Center	Minnesota	Born: 9/27/60
Ht: 6-1½	Wt: 254	6th Year (FA-87)

PRO: Was on the Viking roster for the final 15 weeks of the season last year and played in nine games, including the two playoff games, primarily as a special teams player and in short yardage situations. Did not play in games four through six, and then spent games seven through nine on injured reserve because of a knee injury. Was waived during training camp but recalled following the Chicago game (9/18/88) when injuries hit the offensive line. **1987:** Was active for the final six games of the regular season, and played in five, primarily as a backup guard. Did not play vs. Dallas (11/26/87) but did play in all three playoff games. Signed with the Vikings (11/16/87) after being waived by the Steelers during training camp. **1986:** Started three games at guard (Seattle, Cincinnati, New England) for the Steelers before sutaining a knee injury in the New England game (10/19/86). It required surgery and he was placed on IR for the remainder of the season. **1985:** A pre-season knee injury kept him out of the lineup until early October, but he played in 11 of the final 12 games as a special teamer. **1984:** Played in all 16 games on the special teams as a rookie. Was the eighth-round pick of the Steelers in 1984.

COLLEGE: Was a two-year starter for the Gophers who made the switch from center to guard after his junior season. Was the team captain and MVP as a senior and offensive MVP as a junior. Has a degree in business.

PERSONAL: Born Randy Robert Rasmussen in Minneapolis, Minn. Attended Irondale Senior High where he was an all-state offensive tackle and linebacker. Married, wife's name is Dana. They have two daughters, Teena (5/15/87), and Tarra (9/4/88), and live in Coon Rapids, Minn.

Playoffs: Played in all three post-season games in 1987 and both playoff games in 1988.

Games played/Started: #1984 (16/0), #1985 (11/0), #1986 (4/3), 1987 (5/0), 1988 (7/0) **Totals:** (43/3)

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ALLEN RICE 36

Running Back | Baylor | Born: 4/5/62
Ht: 5-10 | Wt: 206 | 6th year (D5-84)

PRO: Played in every game in 1988 and enjoyed his most productive statistical season. Finished second on the team in rushing attempts, yards and TDs and ranked fourth in receiving and receiving yards. Started four games, in place of an injured Darrin Nelson, and responded with his two best regular-season efforts: vs. Chicago (9/18/88) he led the team in rushing (64 yards on 16 carries) and receiving (75 yards on five receptions); and vs. Philadelphia (9/25/88) he was the leading rusher (56 yards on a season-high and personal-high, 25 carries) and added 74 yards on four receptions. Also was the rushing leader vs. Miami (10/2/88) with 20 yards on four attempts; and rushed 17 times for, a personal-high, 79 yards, and one TD, vs. the Rams in the playoffs (12/26/88). Had a two-TD performance vs. Detroit (11/6/88). **1987:** Finished fifth on the team in rushing, fifth in receiving, and became the first non-QB for the Vikings to throw a TD pass in a playoff game when he completed a 10-yarder to Anthony Carter vs. New Orleans (1/3/88). Led the team with eight receptions for 77 yards vs. Seattle (11/1/87). Played in all 12 regular season games, starting two, primarily as a backup and on the kick return team. **1986:** Played in 14 games and finished fourth on the team in rushing, fifth in receiving, and fourth in TDs scored. Was an eight-game starter; missed games four and nine with hip and shoulder injuries. Led the team in rushing twice, vs. Chicago (10/5/86) and San Francisco (10/12/86), and also led the team in receiving twice, vs. Tampa Bay (9/14/86) and Cleveland (10/26/86). Had a career-long, 32-yard TD reception vs. Houston (12/14/86). **1985:** Played in 14 games, starting one, and finished fourth on the team in rushing, eighth in receiving, and tied for fifth in touchdowns. Scored rushing TDs in each of the first two games of the season. **1984:** Played in all but two games during the season, primarily as a member of the special teams. Scored two TDs in 1984: vs. the Raiders (10/14/84) and Denver (11/18/84). Was the 140th player selected in the 1984 NFL draft.

COLLEGE: Was a two-year letterman and starter at Baylor. He teamed with Alfred Anderson, primarily as a running back, but also as a quarterback in short yardage situations. Rushed 238 times for 1,011 yards and 14 TDs and caught 20 passes for 166 yards and two TDs in his two years at Baylor. Played quarterback at Wharton (Tex.) Junior College in 1980 and at Ranger (Tex.) Junior College in 1981. College major was business.

PERSONAL: Born Allen Troy Rice in Houston, Tex., where he attended Klein High School and was a second-team all-state selection at quarterback (Alfred Anderson was selected first-team QB that year). Is an ordained minister. Does a lot of Christian speaking engagements with his wife, Cheryl, who is a singer. Works with kids in Minneapolis, Houston, North Dakota and Canada. The Rice's have a daughter, Fallon (8/24/87), and live in Eden Prairie, Minn.

Rushing

Year	Att	Yds	Avg	LG	TD
1984	14	58	4.1	16	1
1985	31	104	3.4	15	3
1986	73	220	3.0	19	2
1987	51	131	2.6	13	1
1988	110	322	2.9	24	6
Totals:	**279**	**835**	**3.0**	**24**	**13**

Receiving

Year	No	Yds	Avg	LG	TD
1984	4	59	14.8	24	1
1985	9	61	6.8	13	1
1986	30	391	13.0	32t	3
1987	19	201	10.6	24	1
1988	30	279	9.3	38	0
Totals:	**92**	**991**	**10.8**	**38t**	**6**

Also: Returned 15 kickoffs for 221 yards, a 14.7-yard average, and a long of 27 yards. Returned one punt for zero yards. Has three unassited tackles and seven assists from the special teams.

Playoffs: Played in all three post-season games in 1987 and rushed 11 times for 26 yards and caught seven passes for 71 yards, and also threw a 10-yard TD pass to Anthony Carter vs. New Orleans, 1/3/88; started both playoff games in 1988 and led the team with 99 yards on 22 carries and caught five passes for 38 yards.

Games played/Started: 1984 (14/0), 1985 (14/1), 1986 (14/8), 1987 (12/2), 1988 (16/4)

Totals: (70/15)

MARK RODENHAUSER 60

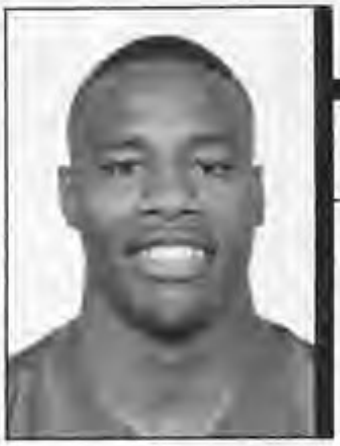
Center	Illinois State	Born: 6/1/61
Ht: 6-5	Wt: 263	2nd Year (FA-89)

PRO: Signed as a free agent with the Vikings (3/8/89) after playing one season with the Chicago Bears. Went to training camp with the Bears in 1988 but was waived before the season began. **1987:** Played in 10 games for the Bears that year and started all three replacement games. Was a valuable deep snapper for the Bears when injuries befell Jay Hilgenberg. Signed as a free agent with Chicago in September that year. Played for the Chicago Bruisers of the Arena Football League prior to signing with the Bears.

COLLEGE: Was a two-year starter and four-year letterman and an all-conference selection as a senior. Has a degree from Illinois State in industrial technology.

PERSONAL: Born Mark Todd Rodenhauser in Addison, Illinois, where he attended Addison Trail High. He was an all-conference center there and also threw the discus and shot put. He is single and lives in Lombard, Ill., where he owns his own business construction firm. **Playoffs:** Played in one post-season game with the Bears at the end of the 1987 season.

Games played/Started: #1987 (10/3) # with Chicago Bears



REGGIE RUTLAND 48

Cornerback | Georgia Tech | Born: 6/20/64
Ht: 6-1 | Wt: 195 | 3rd Year (D4-87)

PRO: Started the final seven games of the regular season, and both playoff games, at right cornerback in place of Carl Lee who was moved to the left side to replace an injured Issiac Holt. Tied for fourth on the defense with three pass interceptions and ranked 14th overall with 35 total tackles. Also finished third on the special teams with 14 unassisted tackles, three assists, and one fumble recovery. Intercepted his first regular-season pass, and returned it 22 yards, vs. Buffalo (9/4/88), and had a 36-yarder vs. Dallas (11/13/88) and a 5-yarder vs. Detroit (11/6/88). Recovered a fumble and returned it 17-yards before being tackled and fumbling the ball away vs. Green Bay (10/16/88). **1987:** Led the Viking defense during the playoffs with two pass interceptions. Picked off a pass and returned it 45 yards for a TD vs. San Francisco (1/3/88) and he had one interception for zero yards vs. New Orleans (1/3/88). Played in only seven games during the regular season. Spent five weeks on injured reserve with a knee injury. Returned from IR in time to play the final regular season game and all three playoff games. Had 12 tackles in the regular season and added two in the playoffs. Was the 17th defensive back, and the 100th player, selected in the 1987 draft.

COLLEGE: Was a four-year letterman who started 44 of the 45 games in which he played. Was an All-Southeastern Conference honorable mention selection in 1986 and finished third in the conference with five interceptions. Had two interceptions in a 28-14 victory over Virginia. In 1985 he intercepted two passes and had 38 tackles, including 11 vs. Auburn. As a sophomore in 1984 had 52 tackles and intercepted two passes and in 1983 he had one interception and 54 tackles. Played in the '85 All-America Bowl and the '87 Blue-Gray game. College major was industrial management.

PERSONAL: Born Reginald Bernard Rutland in East Point, Ga., where he lettered in basketball, track and was a three-time all-state quarterback and free safety. Worked as a real estate agent during the off-season. Hobbies include basketball, fishing and all types of cooking. Is single and lives in Atlanta, Ga.

Year	Solo Tackles	Assists	Total Tackles	QB Sacks	Caused Fumb.	Recvd. Fumb.	Int/Yds.
1987	10	2	12	0	0	0	0/0
1988	28	7	35	0	0	2	3/63
Totals:	**38**	**9**	**47**	**0**	**0**	**2**	**3/63**

Playoffs: Played in all three post-season games in 1987 and led the club with two pass interceptions for 45 yards including one he returned 45-yards for a TD vs. San Francisco, 1/9/88, and added seven total tackles; started both playoff games in 1988 and had 11 total tackles.

Games played/Started: 1987 (7/0), 1988 (16/7) **Totals:** (23/7) Includes special teams stats

BUCKY SCRIBNER 13

Punter	Kansas	Born: 7/11/60
Ht: 6-0	Wt: 205	5th Year (FA-87)

PRO: Finished eighth in the NFC in punting average in 1988. His 84 punt attempts ranked fifth and the 3387 yards ranked sixth all-time for the Vikings in a single season. Averaged 44.8 yards on five punts vs. New Orleans (12/4/88), 45.5 yards on two punts vs. Detroit (11/6/88) and a personal-best with the club, 45.8 yards on two punts, vs. Indianapolis (11/20/88). Had punts blocked by Philadelphia (9/25/88) and Green Bay (10/6/88).

1987: Set two Viking single-game playoff records vs. Washington (1/17/88) with 10 punt attempts for 332 yards. Punted 18 times for 610 yards during the playoffs with a long of 46 yards vs. San Francisco (1/9/88). Punted for the Vikings in the final replacement game vs. Tampa Bay (10/18/87), was released, and then resigned (12/8/87) and played in the final three games of the regular season and the playoffs. Averaged 41.3 yards per punt in the four regular-season games, including a 54-yarder vs. the Buccaneers (10/18/87). Was the 11th-round pick of Green Bay in 1983 and played in every game for the Packers in 1983 and 1984. Was a UPI All-NFC choice in 1984 after finishing third in the conference (eighth overall) with a 42.3-yard average. Was also third in the conference in 1983 with a 41.6-yard average. Had his career-long punt (70-yards) vs. Cincinnati (10/30/83). Did not play football in 1985 or 1986.

COLLEGE: Set Kansas and Big-Eight career marks with a 44.6-yard punting average. Also set a school single-season mark with a 45.8-yard average in 1982. Was a three-time all-conference selection, and a two-time second-team All-America choice. Averaged 59 yards on six punts in his final collegiate game vs. Colorado. Transferred from Pratt J.C. in 1979 after earning All-America honors in 1978. Has a degree in personnel administration.

PERSONAL: Born William Charles Scribner in Lawrence, Kan., where he attended Lawrence High. Enjoys golfing and fishing. Spent the off-season working for Redi-Mix Concrete in Kansas City, Mo. Married, wife's name is Cindy, and they have a son, Jake (11/7/85), and live in Overland Park, Kan.

Year	No	Yds	Avg	TB	In Year	No	Yds
#1983	69	2870	41.6	—	—	—	1
#1984	85	3595	42.3	—	—	—	0
1987	20	827	*41.4	1	4	54	0
1988	*84	*3387	*40.3	*9	*23	*55	*2
Totals:	**258**	**10679**	**41.9**	**1**	**4**	**54**	**1**

Also: Also has one incompleted pass attempt and one rush for -7 yards. Has had three punts blocked with the Vikings: vs. Tampa Bay (10/18/87), vs. Philadelphia (9/25/88), and vs. Green Bay (10/16/88).

Playoffs: Played in all three post-season games and set a club playoff record with 18 punts for 610 yards (a 33.9-yard average); and punted in both playoff games in 1988 and had 14 punts for 566 yards (a 40.4-yard average).

Games played: #1983 (16), #1984 (16), 1987 (4), 1988 (16) **Totals:** (52)

with Green Bay Packers

* Team leader

DARYL SMITH 25

Cornerback | North Alabama | Born: 5/8/63
Ht: 5-9 | Wt: 190 | 3rd Year (FA-89)

PRO: Signed as a free agent with the Vikings (3/16/89) as a Plan B free agent from Cincinnati. Played in all 16 regular-season games, primarily as a backup, and totaled eight tackles, including two from special teams, and one fumble recovery for the Bengals in 1988. Also had one tackle during the 1988 post-season. **1987:** Was waived by the Bengals in the final week of the pre-season but was re-signed by the club for the three replacement games in 1987. Had two pass interceptions during those three games. Was waived again at the conclusion of the players strike and then re-signed again by the Bengals in late October. Spent the final nine weeks of the season on the inactive list. Finished with 17 total tackles that year. Was selected by Denver in the ninth round, the 249th player selected overall, in the 1985 college draft. Was waived by the Broncos that year and played two seasons (1985-86) with the Edmonton Eskimos of the CFL before signing with Cincinnati.

COLLEGE: Was an outstanding defensive back at North Alabama; a three-year starter and four-year letterwinner and the school career record holder with eight blocked kicks. Was named (AP, Kodak) All-America in 1984 and was the first-ever North Alabama player to be named to the Senior Bowl and Blue-Gray game. Also was named the Alabama Small College Athlete-of-the-Year as a senior in 1984 with 43 total tackles, three pass interceptions and two blocked kicks. Four-year career totals include nine pass interceptions, 132 total tackles and 27 passes defensed.

PERSONAL: Born Daryl Dimitri Smith in Opelika, Alabama, where he attended Opelika High. Played cornerback, wide receiver and running back and also lettered in track. His younger brother, Brian, was a linebacker at Auburn and was the second-round selection of the L.A. Rams in the 1989 draft. Married, wife's name is Sharon and they have a son, Michael, and live in Columbia, South Carolina.

Year	Tackles	Assists	Total Tackles	QB Sacks	Caused Fumb.	Recvd. Fumb.	Int/Yds.
#1987	14	3	17	0	0	0	2/0
#1988	7	2	9	0	0	1	0/0
Totals:	**21**	**5**	**26**	**0**	**0**	**1**	**2/0**

Also: Played in all three playoff games with the Bengals in 1988 and had one tackle.

Games played/Started: #1987 (3/0), #1988 (16/0) **Totals:** (19/0)

with Cincinnati Bengals Includes special teams stats.

JESSE SOLOMON 54

Linebacker	Florida State	Born: 11/14/63
Ht: 6-0	Wt: 236	4th Year (D12-86)

PRO: Led the Viking defense, for the second consecutive year, with 96 solo tackles; finished third overall with 124 total tackles. Tied for the team lead with two fumble recoveries and finished third with four pass interceptions. Started all 16 games in 1988 but injured his knee in the regular-season finale vs. Chicago (12/19/88). Missed the two playoff games, and had knee surgery at the conclusion of the season. Was the NFC co-defensive player-of-the-week, along with Carl Lee, with 10 tackles, one sack, and a 78-yard interception return for a TD vs. New Orleans (12/4/88). Also led the defense in four other games last year: eight tackles and one pass interception vs. Chicago (9/18/88); 12 tackles vs. Tampa Bay (10/9/88); nine tackles vs. Indianapolis (11/20/88); and a season-high 17 tackles vs. Green Bay (12/11/88). **1987:** Was the defensive leader with 92 solo tackles and finished second on the team with 126 total tackles. Led or tied for the team lead in tackles in five of the 12 regular-season games in 1987 and forced three fumbles, recovered another, and had one pass interception. Became the starting weak-side linebacker during training camp and missed only one start all year, vs. New Orleans in the playoffs (1/3/88), with a sprained knee. **1986:** Played in 13 games, started four, and ranked third overall on the team with 96 total tackles. Started game three, at middle linebacker in place of Scott Studwell who was injured, and started games nine through 11, at weak-side linebacker in place of an injured David Howard. Intercepted two passes that year, recovered two fumbles, forced one fumble, and tied for the team lead on the special teams with 17 solo tackles and seven assists. Missed three games with a hamstring pull, and led the defense in two games. Was the 51st linebacker, the 318th player, selected in the 1986 NFL draft.

COLLEGE: Played only two varsity seasons for the Seminoles, mostly as a reserve, after walking on at FSU. Transered from North Madison (Fla.) Junior College in 1983 and did not play football there. Spent the 1984 season on the scout team. His two-year totals include 99 total tackles (three for loss), two recovered fumbles and one pass interception. Blocked one punt and recovered it in the end zone for a TD vs. Tulane in 1984. Has his coaching certificate and a degree in political science.

PERSONAL: Born Jesse William Solomon in Madison, Fla., and attended Madison Senior High where he was named the team's most valuable defensive lineman as a junior. Earned one letter in football and also lettered twice in track. In 1988 was selected as the "Outstanding Citizen" in Madison where he has contributed and started a scholarship fund to benefit two high school student athletes each year. Made many personal appearance last year: he spoke to youngsters in his hometown, visited childrens hospitals in Minneapolis, worked with the American Cancer Society and Make-a-Wish Minnesota and was an instructor at a football camp in Miami, Fla. Also is working towards a graduate degree in counselling at Valdosta (Ga.) Junior College. Enjoys movies and traveling, He's single and spent the off-season in Madison, Fla., and Eden Prairie, Minn.

JESSE SOLOMON CAREER STATISTICS

Year	Tackles	Assists	Total Tackles	QB Sacks	Caused Fumb.	Recvd. Fumb.	Int/Yds.
1986	70	26	96	0	1	2	2/34
1987	*96	30	126	2	3	1	1/30
1988	*96	28	124	2½	1	T*2	4/84
Totals:	**262**	**84**	**346**	**4½**	**5**	**5**	**7/148**

Also: Returned an interception 78 yards for TD vs. New Orleans (12/4/88).

Playoffs: Started the final two games of the 1987 playoffs and finished with 10 total tackles. Did not play in the Wild Card game vs. New Orleans that year. Missed both playoff games in 1988 with a knee injury.

Games played/Started: 1986 (13/4), 1987 (12/12), 1988 (16/16) **Totals:** (41/32)

* Team leader T Tied for Team Lead Includes special teams stats.

JESSE SOLOMON FILE

Most Solo Tackles
15 vs. Green Bay, 12/11/88
11 vs. L.A. Raiders, 11/8/87
10 vs. Tampa Bay, 10/9/88
10 vs. Green Bay, 12/13/87
10 vs. Dallas, 11/26/87
10 vs. L.A. Rams, 9/20/87

Most Total Tackles
17 vs. Green Bay, 12/11/88
13 vs. Dallas, 11/26/87
13 vs. L.A. Rams, 9/20/87
12 vs. Green Bay, 12/13/87
12 vs. L.A. Raiders, 11/8/87
12 vs. Tampa Bay, 10/9/88

Most Sacks
1/-3 vs. New Orleans, 12/4/88
1/-11 vs. Dallas, 11/13/88
1/-6 vs. Green Bay, 12/13/87
1/-3 vs. Denver, 10/26/87
.5/-2 vs. Philadelphia, 9/25/88

Most Interceptions
1/78t vs. New Orleans, 12/4/88
1/30 vs. L.A. Rams, 9/20/88
1/18 vs. Pittsburgh, 9/21/86
1/16 vs. New Orleans, 12/21/86
1/4 vs. Miami, 10/2/88
1/0 vs. Chicago, 9/18/88
1/2 vs. New England, 9/11/88

Most Forced Fumbles
1 vs. Buffalo, 9/4/88
1 vs. Detroit, 12/20/87
1 vs. Dallas, 11/26/87
1 vs. L.A. Raiders, 11/8/87
1 vs. Cincinnati, 11/23/86

Most Fumble Recoveries
1 vs. Chicago, 12/19/88
1 vs. New England, 9/11/88
1 vs. L.A. Raiders, 11/8/87
1 vs. Tampa Bay, 11/30/86
1 vs. Detroit, 11/9/86

THOMAS STRAUTHERS 94

Defensive End | Jackson State | Born: 4/6/61
Ht: 6-4 | Wt: 269 | 5th Year (FA-89)

PRO: Signed as a free agent with the Vikings (3/16/89). Played the final ten games of the 1988 season with the Detroit Lions and had 10 total tackles and two sacks. Signed with Atlanta (2/22/88) but was waived in the final roster reduction and signed by Detroit (10/5/88). **1987:** Did not play that year after failing a pre-season physical examination with the Eagles (8/12/87). Was signed as a free agent by the Miami Dolphins (8/21/87), and released (9/7/87), prior to the first regular season game. **1986:** Played in 11 of the 16 regular-season games for the Eagles that year. **1985:** Had his best season that year for the Eagles. Played in all 16 games, started three, and had five and one-half sacks. **1984:** Played in all 16 games as a backup defensive end and tackle. **1983:** Played in only four games that year. Was placed on the Eagles injured reserve roster (8/16/83) with a broken hand and was not activated from IR until (11/23/83). Originally was the 10th-round pick of the Eagles, the 258th player selected overall, in the 1983 college draft.

COLLEGE: Selected first-team All-Southwestern Athletic Conference in each of his final three seasons at Jackson State. Was the team's captain as a senior and voted Most Valuable Player by his teammates as a senior and sophomore defensive end. Four-year totals include 17 quarterback sacks and 13 forced fumbles. College major was communications.

PERSONAL: Born Thomas Bryan Strauthers in Wesson, Miss., and attended Brookhaven (Miss.) Senior High. Was an all-conference defensive end and also lettered twice in track. Attended school at Glassboro (N.J.) State College during the off-season earning credits towards his degree. Works closely with the Big Brothers and Big Sisters and also speaks at local churches. Married, wife's name is Jennifer. They have two children, Thomas Jr. and Courtney, and live in Sewell, N.J.

Year	Tackles	Assists	Total Tackles	QB Sacks	Caused Fumb.	Recvd. Fumb.	Int/Yds.
#1983	1	0	1	0	0	0	0/0
#1984	7	5	12	2	0	0	0/0
#1985	20	7	27	5½	0	0	0/0
#1986	5	1	6	0	0	0	0/0
#1987	0	0	0	0	0	0	0/0
$1988	7	3	10	2	0	0	0/0
Totals:	**40**	**16**	**56**	**9½**	**0**	**0**	**0/0**

Also: Returned one kickoff for 12 yards in 1984.

Games played/Started: #1983 (4/0), #1984 (16/0), #1985 (16/3), #1986 (11/0), #1987 (0/0),&1988 (10/0)

Totals: (57/3) # with Philadelphia Eagles & with Detroit Lions

MINNESOTA VIKINGS 1989

No.	Name	Pos	Ht.	Wt.	Birth-date	NFL Exp.	College
89	Allen, Anthony	WR	5-11	182	6/29/59	5	Washington
46	Anderson, Alfred	RB	6-1	223	8/4/61	6	Baylor
34	Baxter, Brad	FB	6-1	231	5/5/67	R	Alabama State
14	Beaty, Pat	K	6-0	182	1/10/67	R	North Dakota
50	Berry, Ray	LB	6-2	225	10/28/63	3	Baylor
85	Bethea, Ryan	WR	6-3	206	3/26/67	1	South Carolina
53	Braxton, David	LB	6-1	232	5/26/65	R	Wake Forest
47	Browner, Joey	S	6-2	210	5/15/60	7	USC
81	Anthony Carter	WR	5-11	177	9/17/60	5	Michigan
33	Carter, Robert	RB	6-0	209	7/28/65	R	Troy State
49	Curtis, Travis	S	5-10	180	9/27/65	2	West Virginia
17	Delaney, Jarrod	WR	6-1	205	12/1/66	R	T.C.U.
56	Doleman, Chris	DE	6-5	262	10/16/61	5	Pittsburgh
42	Dozier, D.J.	RB	6-0	208	9/21/65	3	Penn State
59	Dusbabek, Mark	LB	6-3	238	6/23/64	1	Minnesota
27	Edwards, Brad	S	6-1	200	2/22/66	2	South Carolina
92	Ellison, Darrell	LB	6-2	222	2/11/67	R	Tulsa
67	Faulkner, Jeff	DE	6-3½	270	4-4-64	1	Southern University
31	Fenney, Rick	RB	6-1	232	12/7/64	3	Washington
61	Fitts, Matthew	G	6-4	275	1/9/63	R	Cal State-Fullerton
43	Fitzgerald, Jamie	S	6-1	190	4/30/65	1	Idaho State
62	Foote, Chris	C	6-4	266	12/2/56	7	USC
24	Fuller, Joe	DB	5-11	180	9/25/64	1	Northern Iowa
29	Fullington, Darrell	S	6-1	197	4/17/64	2	Miami (Fla.)
90	Galvin, John	LB	6-3	226	7/9/65	2	Boston College
16	Gannon, Rich	QB	6-3	199	12/20/65	3	Delaware
73	Greer, Curtis	DE	6-4	258	11/10/58	8	Michigan
80	Gustafson, Jim	WR	6-1	180	3/6/61	4	St. Thomas
74	Habib, Brian	T	6-7	273	12/2/64	1	Washington
37	Harberts, Deven	WR	6-1	191	10/1/65	R	Iowa
82	Hilton, Carl	TE	6-3	230	2/28/64	4	Houston
30	Holt, Issiac	CB	6-2	202	10/4/62	5	Alcorn Statem
51	Howard, David	LB	6-2	232	12/8/61	5	Cal-State Long Beach
72	Huffman, David	T	6-6	284	4/4/57	10	Notre Dame
68	Hunter, John	T	6-7½	294	8/16/65	R	Brigham Young
86	Ingram, Darryl	TE	6-2	228	5/2/66	R	California
76	Irwin, Tim	T	6-7½	285	12/13/58	9	Tennessee
22	Johnson, Ken	S	6-2	197	9/14/66	R	Floria A & M
84	Jones, Hassan	WR	6-0	192	7/2/64	4	Florida State
83	Jordan, Steve	TE	6-3½	239	1/10/61	8	Brown

TRAINING CAMP ROSTER

No.	Name	Pos	Ht.	Wt.	Birth-date	NFL Exp.	College
69	Kalis, Todd	G	6-5	284	5/10/65	2	Arizona State
78	Keeler, Andy	G	6-2½	276	11/16/65	R	Nebraska
9	Kramer, Tommy	QB	6-2	202	3/7/55	13	Rice
39	Lee, Carl	DB	5-11½	183	4/6/61	7	Marshall
87	Lewis, Leo	WR	5-8	172	9/17/56	9	Missouri
40	Lindsley, Jeff	TE	6-3	232	3/9/66	R	Boise State
63	Lowdermilk, Kirk	C	6-3	267	4/10/63	5	Ohio State
79	Martin, Doug	DE	6-3	258	5/22/57	10	Washington
64	McDaniel, Randall	G	6-3	271	12/19/64	2	Arizona State
26	McMillian, Audrey	CB	6-0	190	8/13/62	4	Houston
57	Merriweather, Mike	LB	6-2	221	11/26/60	7	Pacific
77	Mickel, Jeff	T	6-5	288	8/4/66	R	Eastern Washington
75	Millard, Keith	DT	6-5	262	3/18/62	5	Washington State
19	Miller, James	WR	5-6	151	8/22/64	R	S. Carolina St.
38	Morgan, Kevin	RB	6-0	226	2/4/66	R	Virginia
1	Nelson, Chuck	K	5-11½	172	2/23/60	6	Washington
20	Nelson, Darrin	RB	5-9	184	1/2/59	8	Stanford
96	Newton, Tim	DT	6-0	277	3/23/63	5	Florida
99	Noga, Al	DT	6-1	261	9/16/65	2	Hawaii
7	Petersen, Tony	QB	6-2	215	10/9/66	R	Marshall
52	Rasmussen, Randy	C/G	6-1½	254	9/27/60	6	Minnesota
38	Rice, Allen	RB	5-10	204	4/5/62	6	Baylor
60	Rodenhauser, Mark	C	6-5	262	6/1/61	2	Illinois State
98	Roland, Benji	NG	6-2½	270	4/4/67	R	Auburn
18	Ross, Everett	WR	5-10	178	3/6/66	R	Ohio State
48	Rutland, Reggie	S	6-1	194	6/20/64	3	Georgia Tech
13	Scribner, Bucky	P	6-0	213	7/13/60	5	Kansas
25	Smith, Daryl	CB	5-9	185	5/8/63	2	North Alabama
54	Solomon, Jesse	LB	6-0	232	11/4/63	4	Florida State
95	Stewart, Alex	De	6-3	263	8/24/64	R	Cal-Fullerton
94	Strauthers, Thomas	DE	6-4	265	4/6/61	5	Jackson State
55	Studwell, Scott	LB	6-2	228	8/27/54	13	Illinois
45	Sykes, Shawn	RB	5-10½	189	5/2/66	R	Mississippi
97	Thomas, Henry	NT	6-2	267	1/12/65	3	LSU
5	Thompson, Pat	P	5-11	197	7/15/66	R	Brigham Young
28	Watson, Ken	DB	6-0	185	11/10/66	R	Livingston
11	Wilson, Wade	QB	6-3	208	2/1/59	9	East Texas State
58	Woodson, Shawn	SB	6-2	226	8/12/66	R	James Madison
65	Zimmerman, Gary	T	6-6	286	12/13/61	4	Oregon

SCOTT STUDWELL 55

Linebacker | Illionis | Born: 8/27/54
Ht: 6-2 | Wt: 229 | 13th Year (D9-77)

PRO: Earned his second consecutive trip to the Pro Bowl after leading the Viking defense in total tackles (131) for the seventh time in the last nine years — the first since 1985. Led the defense in tackles in five regular season games and one playoff game. Had nine tackles and a forced fumble vs. New England (9/11/88), 11 tackles vs. San Francisco (10/30/88), 11 tackles vs. Dallas (11/13/88), nine vs. Detroit (11/24/88), and 16 tackles and one fumble recovery vs. Chicago (12/19/88). Also was the team leader with eight solo tackles and four assists in the playoff loss to San Francisco (1/9/89). Leads all active Viking players in games played (171), and started (129) and is the all-time team leader in all three tackling categories. **1987:** Was selected to play in the Pro Bowl after finishing third on the defense with 101 total tackles. Surpassed Matt Blair and Jeff Siemon to become the Viking career leader in tackling. Led the defense in the final two playoff games: vs. San Francisco (1/9/88) and Washington (1/17/88). **1986:** Set the Viking career record for total tackles after recording 110, which ranked second on the club. Tied for the team lead with four fumble recoveries and also had one sack, and one pass interception. **1985:** Led the club in tackles, for the sixth consecutive year, despite missing two games and most of two others with a broken thumb. Set a Viking single-game record with 24 total tackles (16 solo, 8 assists) vs. Detroit (11/17/85) surpassing his previous best of 20 tackles. The 16 solo tackles in that game also tied a single-game record he set vs. San Francisco (12/8/84). **1984:** Led or tied for the club lead in four of the seven defensive categories while starting the final 15 games. **1983:** Started every game and led the defense in total tackles in eight games. **1982:** He led the defense in total tackles in eight of the ten games played, including the playoffs. Started eight games, missing the Jets game (12/26/82) with a sore knee. **1981:** Started every game and led the defense with 230 total tackles. **1980:** Played in all 16 games and started 13 and still managed to lead the defense with 207 tackles. **1979:** Started four games at middle linebacker and finished the season with 103 tackles. **1978:** Saw limited action because of defensive changes and had only six tackles on the year. Was the 250th player selected in the 1977 NFL draft.

COLLEGE: Had 177 tackles as a senior, leading the Big Ten, and breaking the school record held by Dick Butkus. His 342 career tackles ranked second to Butkus' Illinois school record. He was named All-Big 10 as a senior. College major was commerce.

PERSONAL: Born John Scott Studwell in Evansville, Ind., where he attended Harrison High School. He works closely with the Boys and Girls Club as a member of the board and with the Special Olympics Endowment Fund. Is a past chairman of the Camp Confidence Charity Golf and Tennis Tournament and has also worked with Make-a-Wish Minnesota. Was selected as Frito-Lay's "Crunchman" for the Vikings in 1985, and also was the Viking nominee for the NFLPA's Justice Byron "Whizzer" White Humanitarian award which recognizes team and community contributions. He was selected by Viking fans to the 25th Anniversary All-Star Team in 1985, and by his Viking teammates as the Ed Block Memorial Courage Award winner in 1987. In 1981 he teamed with Jim Hough to win the NFL arm-wrestling championships. He lives in Bloomington with his wife, Jenny, and their daughters, Jessie (2/27/86) and Samantha (9/18/87).

Year	Tackles	Assists	Total Tackles	QB Sacks	Caused Fumb.	Recvd. Fumb.	Int/Yds.
1977	41	22	63	0	1	0	1/4
1978	4	2	6	0	0	0	0/0
1979	79	24	103	0	3	0	1/18
1980	*153	54	*207	0	0	1	1/4
1981	*156	T*74	*230	2	2	3	0/0
1982	*85	37	*122	2	0	T*1	1/3
1983	*133	*83	*216	2	0	1	0/0
1984	*143	*72	*215	0	*2	0	1/20
1985	*109	*97	*206	0	2	0	2/10
1986	82	28	110	1	0	T*4	1/2
1987	75	26	101	1	0	1	2/26
1988	85	*46	*131	1	2	T*2	0/0
Totals:	**1145**	**565**	**1710**	**9**	**12**	**13**	**10/87**

Also: Has one kickoff return for zero yards.

Playoffs: Played in both post-season games in 1977 and had five total tackles; played in the 1978 playoff game and had three solo tackles and one blocked punt; started the 1980 playoff game and had ten solo tackles and three assists; started one of the two playoff games in 1982 and had 18 total tackles, including a 10-yard sack; started all-three post-season games in 1987 and had 22 total tackles, including one 8-yard sack; started both playoff games in 1988 and had a team-leading 20 tackles, and intercepted one pass.

Games played/Started: 1977 (14/3), 1978 (13/0), 1979 (14/4), 1980 (16/13), 1981 (16/16), 1982 (8/8), 1983 (16/16), 1984 (16/15), 1985(14/12), 1986 (16/15), 1987 (12/11), 1988 (16/16) **Totals:** (171/129)

* Team Leader T Tied for Team Lead Includes special teams stats since 1979.

1989 HOTELS

Kansas City	Memphis Marriott	901/362-6200
LA Rams	Anaheim Marriott	714/750-8000
Chicago	Marriott Downtown	312/836-0100
Pittsburgh	Westin William Penn	412/281-7100
Detroit	Northfield Hilton	313/879-2100
NY Giants	Sheraton Meadowlands	201/896-0500
Tampa Bay	Bay Harbor Inn	813/889-8900
Philadelphia	Philadelphia Airport Marriott	215/365-4150
Green Bay	Hyatt Regency Milwaukee	414/276-1234
Cleveland	Stouffer Tower City Plaza	216/696-5600

HENRY THOMAS 97

Defensive Tackle | Louisiana State | Born: 1/12/65
Ht: 6-2 | Wt: 268 | 3rd Year (D3-87)

PRO: Led the defense in fumble recoveries (four), finished third in sacks (six) and fifth overall on the defense in 1988 with 80 total tackles — despite missing the season finale vs. Chicago (12/19/88) with injured ribs. Earned (AP) All-Pro honorable mention recognition and scored his first NFL touchdown vs. Dallas (11/13/88) after returning a fumble 2-yards for a score. Was the defensive team leader with five solos, two assists, and one forced fumble vs. Miami (10/2/88). Had a 7-yard interception return vs. Green Bay (10/16/88); it was his second career interception which ties Tim Newton's Viking career record for defensive lineman. Had nine tackles, a 16-yard sack and a forced fumble vs. Tampa Bay (10/9/88); nine tackles vs. Green Bay (12/11/88); and eight tackles vs. New Orleans (12/4/88). Recorded five tackles, the team's only sack (6-yards), and the only forced fumble of the playoffs vs. San Francisco (1/9/89). **1987:** Was named to two all-rookie teams (UPI and Football Digest) after leading the Viking defensive line and finishing fourth overall on the team with 81 tackles. Started every pre-season, regular-season, and post-season game. Led the defense vs. Denver (10/25/87), Dallas (11/26/87) and Green Bay (12/13/87). Intercepted a pass vs. the Raiders (11/8/87) and recovered one fumble vs. Detroit (12/20/87). Had a 1-yard sack in the playoff victory over San Francisco (1/9/88). Was the 10th defensive lineman, the fourth defensive tackle and the 72nd player, selected in the 1987 draft.

COLLEGE: Played defensive end and tackle for the Tigers, earning first-team All-Southeastern Conference honors and All-America honorable mention notice in 1986. Was a four-year letterman and three-year starter. As a senior finished second on the team with 83 tackles, three sacks, one forced fumble and one recovered fumble. Led the defensive line as a junior and was fifth overall on the team with 56 tackles. Was named defensive player-of-the-week vs. Notre Dame after blocking two Irish field goal attempts and forcing another to go wide. Played in the '85 Sugar, the '86 Liberty, and was the MVP in the '87 Sugar Bowl. College major was communications.

PERSONAL: Born Henry Lee Thomas, Jr., in Houston, Tex., and attended Houston's Eisenhower High School. Was a two-time all-city and all-district defensive tackle and tight end and also threw the discus and shot on the school track team. Likes to go boating, fishing and dancing. Attended school during the off-season earning credits towards his degree. Married, wife's name is Gwendolyn, and they live in Houston, Tex.

Year	Tackles	Assists	Total Tackles	QB Sacks	Caused Fumb.	Recvd. Fumb.	Int/Yds.
1987	56	25	81	2½	0	1	1/0
1988	53	27	80	6	*4	1	1/7
Totals:	**109**	**52**	**161**	**8½**	**4**	**2**	**2/7**

Also: Scored his first NFL TD vs. Dallas (11/13/88) on a 2-yard fumble return. His two pass interceptions ties a Viking team for defensive lineman in a career.

Playoffs: Started all three playoff games in 1987 and finished with seven tackles and a 1-yard sack; started both playoff games in 1988 and had nine tackles, a 6-yard sack, and one fumble recovery.

Games played/Started: 1987 (12/12), 1988 (15/15) **Totals:** (27/27) * Team Leader

WADE WILSON 11

Quarterback	East Texas State	Born: 2/1/59
Ht: 6-3	Wt: 206	9th Year (D8-81)

PRO: Was named to his first Pro Bowl in 1988 after leading the NFC, and finishing third overall in the league, with a 91.5 quarterback rating — which ranks fifth all-time for the team in a single season. Was named the NFC offensive player-of-the-month in November after leading the team to a 4-0 record while completing 73 of his 112 pass attempts (65.1%) for 1,009 yards and five TDs with two interceptions. Was 28 of 35 for a personal-high, 391 yards, with two TDs and one interception vs. Detroit (11/6/88). It was the second highest single-game pass percentage total (80.0%) in team history. Completed the first 14 of his 15 second-half pass attempts in that game which also ranks second on the consecutive completions list. Was named the NFC offensive player-of-the-week after completing 22 of 30 passes for 335 yards and three TDs vs. Tampa Bay (10/23/88). Started game one vs. Buffalo (9/4/88), and the final nine games of the regular season. Was a backup in games two through four (New England, Chicago, Philadelphia) and game seven (Green Bay); missed two games (Miami, Tampa Bay) with a shoulder seperation that he sustained on a 3-yard TD run vs. Philadelphia (9/25/88). **1987:** Set eight new club quarterback playoff records including four season records, three career records, and one single-game record. Was the NFC offensive player-of-the-week vs. the Rams (9/20/87) completing 17 of 38 passes for 285 yards and three TDs, including a game-winning 41-yarder with less than a minute to play. Led the team in passing, finished third in rushing, and was fourth on the team in scoring. His 263 yards rushing ranks seventh for Viking QBs in a single season and he led the offense in rushing twice. Threw three TDs in a single game three times and threw only two passes vs. the Raiders (11/8/87) but both were TDs. **1986:** Was named the NFC offensive player-of-the-week after completing 24 of 39 pass attempts for 361 yards and three TDs vs. New Orleans (12/21/86). Played in nine games, and started three in place of Tommy Kramer who was injured. **1985:** Started only one game, vs. Philadelphia (12/1/85), and sparked the second-greatest comeback in club history. The Vikings trailed the Eagles 23-0 with 8:23 remaining before three Wilson TD passes and a 65-yard fumble return gave the Vikings a 28-23 victory. Threw two TDs to Anthony Carter (36 and 42 yards) in the final four minutes of play and finished the game with 13 completions on 20 attempts for 187 yards. **1984:** Played in eight games and started five and completed 102 passes for 1019 yards and five TDs. **1983:** Played in only one game, the season finale vs. Cincinnati (12/17/83), and completed 16 of 28 passes for 124 yards in leading the Vikings to a 20-14 victory. **1982:** Was active for all nine games of the strike-shortened season but did not play. **1981:** Was active for all 16 games and played in three. Was the seventh quarterback, and the 210th player, selected in the 1981 draft.

COLLEGE: Was an NAIA All-America selection as a senior and led the Lone Star Conference in passing, total offense, and was named the Conference's Most Valuable Player. Was a two-time team MVP, a four-year letterman and three-year starter. Completed 338 passes on 668 attempts for 4,414 yards and 32 TDs. Passed for 351 yards in one game, and had five touchdown passes in another. Also was the team punter as a freshman and averaged 38.5 yards. College major was business management.

Wade Wilson continued

PERSONAL: Born Charles Wade Wilson in Greenville, Tex., and played quarterback at Commerce (Tex.) High School. Has his real estate license and his SEC - series seven registration. Worked as a financial consultant for Merrill-Lynch during the off-season and continues to work closely with the American Diabetes Association. He enjoys racquetball and golf. Is married, wife's name is Kathy, and they live in Dallas, Tex.

Passing

Year	Att	Comp	Yds	Pct	TD	Int	LG	Rtg.
1981	13	6	48	.462	0	2	22	—
1982	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	—
1983	28	16	124	.571	1	2	36	50.6
1984	195	102	1019	.523	5	*11	38	52.7
1985	60	33	404	.550	3	3	42t	71.8
1986	143	80	1165	T*559	7	5	39	84.4
1987	*264	*140	*2106	*.530	*14	*13	73t	*76.7
1988	*332	*204	*2746	*.614	*15	T*9	68t	#*91.5
Totals:	**1035**	**581**	**7612**	**.561**	**45**	**45**	**68t**	**80.5**

Rushing

Year	Att	Yds	Avg	LG	TD
1981	—	—	—	—	—
1982	—	—	—	—	—
1983	3	-3	—	—	—
1984	9	30	3.3	12	0
1985	—	—	—	—	—
1986	13	9	0.7	13	1
1987	41	263	6.4	38	5
1988	36	136	3.8	15	2
Totals:	**102**	**435**	**4.2**	**38**	**8**

Also: Has also punted two times for 76 yards, a 38.0-yard average.

Playoffs: Played in all three, and started the final two playoff games in 1987 and set nine team post-season records. Completed 50 passes on 93 attempts for 730 yards and five TDs with two interceptions, and also rushed 12 times for 63 yards; started both playoff games in 1988 and completed 40 of his 75 pass attempts for 508 yards and two TDs with two interceptions.

Games Played/Started: 1981 (3/0), 1982 (0/0), 1983 (1/1), 1984 (8/5), 1985(4/1), 1986 (9/3), 1987 (12/7), 1988 (14/10) **Totals:** (51/27) * Team leader Tied for Team Lead # NFC Leader

WADE WILSON FILE

Most Pass Attempts
41 vs. Green Bay, 12/11/88
39 vs. Seattle, 11/1/87
39 vs. New Orleans, 12/21/86
38 vs. L.A. Rams, 9/20/87
37 vs. Green Bay, 11/11/84

Most Pass Completions
28 vs. Detroit, 11/24/88
24 vs. New Orleans, 12/21/86
24 vs. Tampa Bay, 11/4/84
23 vs. Seattle, 11/1/87
22 vs. Tampa Bay, 10/22/88
22 vs. Tampa Bay, 11/30/86

Most Passing Yards
391 vs. Detroit, 11/24/88
361 vs. New Orleans, 12/21/86
339 vs. Tampa Bay, 11/30/86
335 vs. Tampa Bay, 10/23/88
285 vs. L.A. Rams, 9/20/87

Most TDs Passing
3 vs. New Orleans, 12/4/88
3 vs. Dallas, 11/13/88
3 vs. Tampa Bay, 10/23/88
3 vs. Chicago, 12/6/87
3 vs. L.A. Rams, 9/20/87
3 vs. Detroit, 9/13/87
3 vs. New Orleans, 12/21/86
3 vs. Tampa Bay, 11/30/86
3 vs. Philadelphia, 12/1/85

Most Passes Intercepted
5 vs. Denver, 10/26/86
3 vs. Washington, 12/26/86
3 vs. Detroit, 9/13/87
3 vs. Houston, 12/14/86
2 many times

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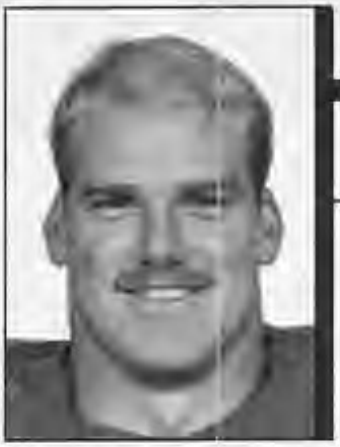

GARY ZIMMERMAN 65

Tackle	Oregon	Born: 12/13/61
Ht: 6-6	Wt: 284	4th Year (T-85)

PRO: Was an All-Pro selection for the second straight year and was also named All-NFC and earned his second consecutive trip to the Pro Bowl in Hawaii. Started every game at left tackle in 1988. Missed the second half of the Miami game (10/2/88) with a bruised sternum. Has started every game in which he's played (44) for the club. **1987:** Was selected as the starting left tackle for the Pro Bowl and was named All-NFL and All-NFC. Started all 12 regular-season and all three playoff games in 1987. **1986:** Was named All-Pro *(Sports Illustrated)*, second-team All-NFL (NEA), and second-team All-NFC (UPI). Was instrumental in helping to solidify the Viking offensive line. Signed with the Vikings in May, 1986, after being released by the Memphis Showboats of the USFL. His NFL rights were acquired by the Vikings on draft day, April 29, 1986, after completing a two-part trade. Minnesota traded down in the first round by swapping its 1986 first-round pick with San Diego and trading its third-round pick for San Diego's second-round selection; then the Vikings traded two second-round choices (the one from the Chargers, and one obtained from the Raiders as part of the Brad Van Pelt trade in 1984) to the New York Giants who held Zimmerman's NFL rights. He had played two seasons in the USFL with the Los Angeles Express. Was the second-round pick of the Express in the 1984 Territorial draft, behind BYU quarterback Steve Young. Started 32 games with the Express, missing four games (two each season) with a sprained shoulder. Played tackle and handled the long snapping chores for the 1984 division champion Express. Was the Giants' first-round pick, the third player overall, in the 1984 supplemental draft.

COLLEGE: Earned *Sporting News* second-team and (AP) third-team All-America honors as a senior in 1983. Was a first-team All-Pac 10 selection and won the Morris Trophy as the outstanding offensive lineman in the conference. Was a part-time player as a freshman in 1980 and played both ways in 1981. Became a regular in 1982 and started 11 games that season. Was a 10-game starter as a senior in 1983. Played in the Hula and Japan Bowl in 1983. Has degree in finance.

PERSONAL: Born Gary Wayne Zimmerman in Fullerton, Calif., and attended Walnut (Calif.) High. Was the team's middle linebacker and center. Was an all-league player as selected by the L. A. Times. Also earned a letter in track and finished second in the state high school track meet in the discus. Enjoys hunting and fishing as well as computers. Took flying lessons in 1986 and is now a certified pilot. He's married, wife's name is Lisa, and they have a daughter, Lidsay Rae (2/9/88), and live in Eden Prairie, Minn.

Games played/Started: (16/#16), 1987 (12/12), 1988 (16/16) **Totals:**(44/44)

Playoffs: Started all three playoff games in 1987 and both playoff games in 1988.

Viking team record for starts by a first-year player.

1989 DRAFT ORDER

Round	Name	Pos	School	Ht	Wt	Overall Number
1	Traded to Pittsburgh (for linebacker Mike Merriweather)					
2	David Braxton	LB	Wake Forest	6-1	232	52
3	John Hunter	T	BYU	6-7½	294	80
4	Darryl Ingram	TE	California	6-3	230	108
5	Exercised in 1988 Supplemental Draft (Ryan Bethea, WR, So. Carolina)					
6	Jeff Mickel	T	Eastern Washington	6-5½	288	163
7	Benji Roland	NT	Auburn	6-3	272	191
8	Alex Stewart	DE	Cal-State Fullerton	6-3½	263	219
9	Traded to New England for Patriots 11th-round pick in 1988 (Norman Floyd, So. Carolina)					
10	Traded to Miami (for Greg Koch)					
11	Brad Baxter	RB	Alabama State	6-1	231	303
12a	Shawn Woodson	LB	James Madison	6-2	226	331
12b	Everett Ross	WR/KR	Ohio State	5-10	178	335

DAVID BRAXTON 53

Linebacker | Wake Forest | Born: 5/26/65
Ht: 6-1 | Wt: 232 | D2-89

Braxton was the tenth linebacker (the seventh outside linebacker) and the 52nd player selected in the 1989 college draft. Was a three-year letterwinner and two-year starter. Played defensive end, linebacker, strong safety, wide receiver and was the backup kick returner for the Deamon Deacons. Played in every game in 1988, primarily as a defensive end, and had 56 tackles (33 solos), three sacks, four tackles-for-loss, two forced fumbles, two recovered fumbles and two pass interceptions. Had five solo tackles in a 35-0 shutout over Illinois State and followed that up with a season-high 10-tackle performance vs. North Carolina State. Had eight tackles vs. North Carolina and eight vs. Maryland. Became a starter at defensive end as a junior in 1987 and recorded 40 tackles (17 solo), and had a forced fumble and a fumble recovery, despite being hampered in the early part of the year with an ankle injury. Had three tackles and a 14-yard fumble recovery return vs. Clemson. Intercepted two passes for 16 yards. Had five tackles vs. Maryland and set up a TD with a fumble recovery. Had a career-high 13 tackle outing and picked off two passes vs. South Carolina. Saw limited action as a freshman wide receiver and kick returner in 1985. Had one reception for four yards, and returned five kicks for 66 yards. Played in the 1989 Senior and Blue-Gray Bowl games. Born David Harold Braxton in Omaha, Nebraska, and attended Jacksonville (N.C.) Senior High School where he was a two-way all-state player. Led the team in receptions and interceptions and helped guide them towards the State 4-A Title in 1983. Also lettered twice in track. Was recently timed at 4.49 in the 40-yard dash. College major was Sociology. He is single and lives in Winston-Salem, N.C.

JOHN HUNTER 68

Tackle | BYU | Born: 8/16/65
Ht: 6-7½ | Wt: 294 | D3-89

Hunter was the 21st offensive lineman (the ninth tackle) and the 80th player selected in the 1989 college draft. Earned four varsity letters and was a two-year starter for the Cougars. Has played both tackle and guard and was originally recruited as a tight end. Played in four Bowl games with the Cougars: the '88 and '86 Freedom Bowls, the '87 All-American and the 1985 Citrus Bowl. Started at left tackle in 1988 and was a second-team All-Western Athletic Conference selection. Led the offensive linemen in blocking and received winning grades every game. As a junior in 1987 he broke his left hand, but still started at left guard and tackle early in the year and was the Cougars' top line reserve for the second half of the season. Missed the first half of the 1986 season while recuperating from an offseason knee operation but managed to start several games at right tackle before being moved to left guard. Was a reserve in 1985, and played in several games despite being hampered by nagging injuries. Redshirted the 1984 season after undergoing ankle surgery. Was set to enroll at BYU in 1983 but suffered a broken leg during the offseason and decided not to enroll. Born John Rosel Hunter in Roseburg, Oregon, and attended North Bend (Ore.) Senior High where he an All-Southwest Coast defensive end. Also played quarterback, tight end, and outside linebacker. Earned varsity letters in track (1), baseball (2), and basketball (2). College major was psychology. Has been timed in 5.22 in the 40. He is single and lives in Provo, Utah.

DARRYL INGRAM 86

Tight End | California | Born: 5/2/66
Ht: 6-3 | Wt: 228 | D4-89

Ingram was the 16th receiver (the sixth tight end) and the 108th player selected in the 1989 college draft. Emerged as one of the outstanding tight ends in Pac-10 conference after being recruited as a wide receiver by former Viking quarterback Joe Kapp. Was a two-year starter, four-year letterwinner, and two-time all-conference honorable mention nominee for the Golden Bears. Was an All-Pac-10 conference honorable mention selection in 1988 which he finished with 37 receptions for 513 yards and six TDs. Best game came against San Jose State when he caught six passes for 92 yards. Had a pair of TDs (4 and 15 yards) in a 31-14 victory over Temple. Played in the 1988 Blue-Gray, Hula and Japan Bowls. Was named honorable mention all-conference in his first season as a starter with 30 receptions for 416 yards and three TDs in 1987. Had six catches for 86 yards vs. Tennessee and six for 76 yards, and two TDs, in a 38-20 win over Arizona State. Started the first three games of the 1986 season despite missing all of spring ball with a sprained knee. Finished with 23 yards on three receptions. Started one game as a freshman and caught two passes for 10 yards. Redshirted the 1984 season. Born Darryl Ingram in Lubbock, Texas, and

Darryl Ingram continued

attended Hart Senior High in New Hall, Calif., where he was an All-CIF wide receiver. Caught 28 passes for 715 yards and 11 TDs as a senior; including three scores in the CIF title game. Also lettered twice in basketball and twice in track. Runs a 4.71 40-yard dash and holds a B.A. degree in political economy. He is single and lives in Oakland, CA.

JEFF MICKEL 77

Tackle	Eastern Washington	Born: 8/4/66
Ht:6-5½	Wt:288	D6-89

Mickel was the 26th offensive lineman (the 12th tackle) and the 163rd player selected in the 1989 college draft. Was a consensus first-team All-America selection in Division 1-AA and only the second Division 1-AA lineman taken in the draft. Was a two-time all-conference selection for the Eagles and holds the EWU record with 43 consecutive starts. Enrolled as a tight end but was converted to a tackle. Is an adept long snapper for FGs, PATs and punts. Was named the Division 1-AA Lineman-of-the-Year in 1988 and first-team All-Big Sky Conference. Started the season at tackle but was forced to move to center after game two when injuries hit the Eagle offensive lineman. Earned second-team All-America and All-Big Sky honors as a junior in 1987. Was nominated for the conference offensive player-of-the-week honors after recording 16 knockdowns and seven downfield blocks vs. Stephen F. Austin. Started every game in 1986 and had an 89% grade on the year which helped lead an offense that averaged 422 yards per game. Started every game in 1985 and helped set a school record of 32 first downs vs. Cal-Chico. Redshirted as a freshman in 1984 and won the starting spot in spring ball that year. Born Arthur Jeffrey Mickel in Limestone, Maine, and attended Woodway Senior High in Edmonds, Washington. Played tight end and defensive end and was an all-conference forward on the basketball team. Also lettered twice in track. Has run a 5.00 in the 40-yard dash. Graduated with a finance/economics double major. He is single and lives in Edmonds, Washington.

BENJI ROLAND 98

Nose Tackle	Auburn	Born: 4/4/67
Ht: 6-2½	Wt: 270	D7-89

Roland was the 29th defensive lineman (the 12th tackle) and the 191st player selected in the 1989 college draft. He was only the sixth nosetackle chosen. Spent his entire career in the shadows of teammate, and Outland Trophy winner, Tracy Rocker. Was a three-year starter and four-year letterwinner for the Tigers. Earned third-team All-America, and (AP) honorable mention recognition in 1988 finishing fifth on the defense with 66 tackles (38 solo) two sacks, and nine tackles-for-loss. Anchored the middle of the line as the Tigers led the nation in total defense (218 yards per game), and rushing

defense (63 yards per game). Had 11 tackles vs. Tennessee and a season-high 12 in a 16-0 shutout over Florida. Started every game in 1987 and was an honorable mention (AP) All-America candidate. Had 55 tackles (32 solo), three sacks and 10 tackles-for-loss. Had season-high 13 tackles vs. Georgia Tech and six vs. Georgia. Started at nosetackle throughout the 1986 season and ranked fifth on the team in tackles with 66 tackles, two sacks and seven tackles-for-loss. Was a backup nosetackle as a freshman in 1985 and had 17 tackles and two forced fumbles while playing in every game. Played in five Bowl games: the '85 Cotton, '86 Citrus, and the '87 and '88 Sugar Bowls as well as the 1989 Senior Bowl. Born Mitchell Benjamin Roland in Eastman, Georgia, where he attended Dodge City High. Was first-team all-state player, an honorable mention All American selection and the Middle Georgia Defensive player-of-the-year. Had 128 tackles as a senior. Played tackle, tight end, defensive end and linebacker and also lettered three times in baseball. Time in the 40 is 5.0. College major was child development. He is single and lives in Auburn, Georgia.

ALEX STEWART 95

Defensive End	Cal-Fullerton	Born: 8/24/64
Ht: 6-3	Wt: 270	D8-89

Stewart was the 34th defensive lineman (the 19th defensive end) and the 219th player selected in the 1989 college draft. He found a home at Cal-Fullerton after brief stops at Nassau (N.Y.) Junior College, Fresno City (Calif.) College and the University of Southern California. Transferred from USC to Fullerton in 1987 and was forced to sit out the season under NCAA transfer rules. Started only eight games in 1988 for the Titans and fninshed with 44 tackles (27 solo), nine sacks and 12 tackles-for-loss. Missed three games because of a knee injury but was one of the main reasons the Titan defense ranked second in the Big West conference in total defense (331 yards per game) and rushing defense (140 yards per game). Had nine tackles, two sacks, and four tackles behind the line of scrimmage vs. New Mexico State and added nine tackles and one sack vs. Utah State. Transferred to Southern Cal in 1987 but did not play. Was a Junior College All-America honorable mention defensive end in 1986 at Fresno City JC. Was an all-state and all-conference player leading the team with 97 tackles (56 solo), 17 sacks and 25 tackles-for-loss. Attended Nassau J.C. in 1984 and 1985 but did not try out for the football team. Played in the 1989 Blue-Gray and Senior Bowl where he was the defensive MVP of the North squad. Born Alexander Stewart in Jamaica, West Indies, and earned all-city honors as a junior at Malvern (N.Y.) High, and all-league defensive honors as a senior at Uniondale High School in Long Island, N.Y. Time in the 40 is 4.58. College major was criminal justice. He's single and lives in Fullerton, California.

BRAD BAXTER 34

Running Back	Alabama State	Born: 5/5/67
Ht: 6-2	Wt: 231	D11-89

Baxter was the 35th running back (the ninth fullback) and the 303rd player selected in the 1989 college draft. Was a Division 1-AA All-America, and a three time All-Southwestern Athletic Conference selection and holds virtually every school game, season and career rushing record. Was a three-year starting tailback for the Hornets with 19 100-yard rushing games to his credit, but is projected as an NFL fullback. Was a second-team Division 1-AA and first team All-SWAC choice rushing for 817 yards and eight TDs in 1988. Played in only nine games, missing the season finale with a minor injury. Rushed for a career-high 236 yards on 37 carries vs. Albany State. Gained 140 yards vs. Prairie View and another 125, including a
vs. Texas Southern. Was a second-team 1-AA All America and
a junior in 1987. Became the school's all-time leading rusher wit
TDs and earned team MVP honors. Had a season-high 173 yc
Grambling State and added four more 100-yard efforts that seas
AA All-America, All-SWAC and SWAC offensive player-of-the
in 1986 after setting a school season rushing record with 1705
302 carries. Gained 233 yards vs. Jackson State, including a s
Raced for 191 yards, and a pair of TDs vs. Clark College and 1
vs. Alcorn State. Had only two carries as a freshman in 1985. Pl
Gray game. Born Herman Bradley Baxter in Dothan, Alabama,
(Ala.) Senior High where he rushed for 4200 career yards anc
All-WAC, and *USA Today* All-America. Has run a 4.69 in the
criminal justice with a minor in psychology. He is single and lives

WOODSON, SHAWN 58

Linebacker	James Madison	Born: 8/12/66
Ht: 6-2	Wt: 226	D-12a-89

Woodson was the 44th linebacker (the 29th outside linebacker) and the 331st player selected in the 1989 college draft. Was a four-year starter and letterwinner for the Dukes. Totaled 341 tackles (228 solo), 15 sacks, two pass interceptions and 29 tackles-for-loss. Was a Division 1-AA second-team All-America selection in 1988. Was the recipient of JMs Coaches award as the team's top overall player and voted defensive MVP after leading the defense with 84 tackles (41 solo), five sacks and eight tackles behind the line of scrimmage. Had a season-high 14 tackles vs. Georgia Southern and added eight tackles and two sacks vs. William and Mary. Was named first-team all-conference in 1987 after leading the team with 99 tackles (25 solo), three sacks and five tackles-for-loss. Had 13 tackles and one sack vs. Appalachian State and blocked a field goal attempt in a 21-15 victory over Duke. Was a first-team all-conference pick in 1986 and finished second on the defense with 106 tackles (33 solo),

five sacks and 12 tackles-for-loss. Was the 1-AA ECAC defensive player-of-the-week after recording 12 tackles, two sacks, one pass break-up and two interceptions in a 21-19 win over Towson State. Played in only three games as a sophomore in 1985 before sustaining a season-ending injury and being given a medical redshirt. Still managed 13 tackles and a blocked punt for a safety vs. Morehead State. Played in all 10 games as a backup in 1984 and had 21 tackles. Born Shawn Wilford Woodson in Charlottesville, Virginia, and attended Buckingham (Va.) High. Was an all-district linebacker and tailback as a senior and also lettered three times in basketball. Has a degree in marketing education and a minor in sociology. Time in the 40 is 4.71. He is single and lives in Harrisonburg, Virginia.

EVERETT ROSS 18

Wide Receiver	Ohio State	Born: 3/6/66
Ht: 5-11	Wt: 184	D12b-89

Ross was the 55th receiver (the 37th wide receiver) and the 335th, and final, player selected in the college draft. Was a two-year starter and three year letterwinner who began his collegiate career with the Buckeyes as a tailback before being moved to the flanker spot. Was also the team's primary punt return specialist. Missed the entire 1988 season because of academic difficulties. Started all year at flanker in 1987 and led the team with 29 receptions for 585 yards and five TDs. He also returned 20 punts, four kickoffs and had three solo tackles from the special teams. Had a season-high seven receptions for 92 yards vs. Wisconsin and gained 69 yards on three catches vs. Indiana. Caught four passes for 43 yards and one TD in a 23-20 victory over Michigan in the season finale. Was the team's third leading receiver in 1986, with 15 receptions for 291 yards and two TDs. Also had 35 punt returns, eight kickoff returns and rushed the ball three times. Scored his first collegiate TD, a 33-yarder, in a 64-6 victory over Utah. Had a 38-yard TD in a 31-10 victory over Iowa. Was moved from tailback to flanker in 1985 and did not catch any passes. Returned three kicks and two punts. Played in the 1985 Fiesta and the 1986 Cotton Bowls. Born Everett Lee Ross, Jr. in Martinsburg, West Virginia, and attended Columbus (Ohio) Eastmoor Senior High where he was an all-state halfback and defensive back. Also lettered three times in basketball, twice in track and once in baseball. Time in the 40 is 4.61. College major was education. He is single and lives in Columbus, Ohio.

FIRST-YEAR PLAYERS/FREE AGENTS

BEATY, PAT . . . kicker, North Dakota . . . 6-1, 185 . . . played four varsity seasons and earned four letters . . . was named first-team All North Central Conference and was the NCAA Division-II scoring leader in 1988 . . . is the all-time leading scorer at UND and holds school records for most field goals in a career, season, and game and his long of 57-yards is also a UND record . . . born 1/10/67 in Edina, Minnesota, and attended Bloomington Jefferson High where he was a two-time all-conference selection and all-state as a senior . . . also lettered twice in hockey and once in baseball . . . college major was management and marketing . . . he is single and lives in Bloomington, Minnesota.

CARTER, ROBERT . . . running back, Troy State . . . 6-0, 210 . . . played four varsity seasons and lettered three times . . . played on teams that won two national championships and three conference championships . . . born 7/28/65 in Los Angeles, California . . . attended Highland Home High School where he was an all-state selection his senior year and all-county his final two years . . . also played varsity basketball for five years . . . college major was criminal justice . . . he is single and lives in Luverne, Alabama, where he works for a textile corporation.

DELANEY, JARROD . . . wide receiver, TCU . . . 6-1, 205 . . . played four seasons and earned four letters . . . was named second-team All Southwest Conference as a senior . . . born 12/1/66 in San Francisco, California . . . attended James Madison High School in Houston, Texas, where he was All-America football player and also lettered twice in baseball, track, and once in basketball . . . college major was communications . . . he is single and lives in Houston, Texas.

ELLISON, DARRELL . . . linebacker, Tulsa . . . 6-2, 222 . . . played two seasons and earned two varsity letters after transferring from Blinn Junior College . . . born 2/11/67 in Houston, Texas; where he attended Madison High School . . . earned all-state linebacking honors . . . college major was physical education . . . he is single and lives in Houston, Texas.

FAULKNER, JEFF . . . defensive end, Southern U . . . 6-3½, 270 . . . played four years and earned two varsity letters . . . played for the Kansas City Chiefs replacement team in 1987 as well as the Chicago Bruisers (Arena Football League) . . . was with the Vikings for part of training camp in 1988 . . . born 4/4/64 in St. Thomas, Virgin Islands . . . attended American High School in Miami, Florida, where he lettered two years in basketball and earned all-county honors . . . has a degree in business management . . . is single and lives in Pembroke Pines, Florida.

FITTS, MATTHEW . . . offensive line, Cal-State Fullerton . . . 6-4, 275 . . . played four seasons and earned three letters . . . was a two-time all-conference selection and an All-America honorable mention candidate in 1988 . . . born 11/9/63 in Lompoc, California, where he attended Lompoc High . . . was named all-conference as a senior . . . also lettered three times in baseball and played three years in the minor leagues with the New York Mets organization . . . college major was criminal justice . . . married, wife's name is Ysabel, and they live in Lompoc, California.

FITZGERALD, JAIME . . . cornerback, Idaho State . . . was a three-year letterman at strong and free safety . . . was an All-Big Sky Conference stong safety and punt returner and a first-team All Rocky Mountain selection . . . played in two replacement games for the Vikings in 1987 and was with the team during training camp in 1988 . . . born 4/30/65 in Spokane, Washington, and attended Gonzaga Prep High where he earned all-city and all-state honors . . . also was a nationally-ranked downhill skier . . . college major was physical education . . . married, wife's name is Rhonda, and they live in Spokane.

FULLER, JOE . . . cornerback, Northern Iowa . . . 5-10, 180 . . . spent three seasons with Saskatchewan of the Canadian Football League . . . started all 18 games there in 1988 and had seven pass interceptions, including one he returned for a TD . . . he also returned punts, including an 89-yarder for a TD . . . played in all 18 games in 1987 and had 74 tackles, three sacks, five interceptions and one forced fumble . . . also played seven games in 1986 and had 19 tackles, five kick returns and six punt returns . . . considered one of the best defensive backs ever at UNI and was named (Kodak) All-America as a senior in 1985 . . . was a three-time all-conference selection and set school recrods with a 93-yard punt return and an 89-yard interception return . . .

born 9/25/64 in Milligan, Florida, and attended Minneapolis (Minn.) Central High . . . was an all-city running back and defensive back and also lettered in basketball and track . . . married, wife's name is Felicia Hyatt, and they live in Minnetonka, Minn.

HARBERTS, DEVAN . . . wide receiver, Iowa . . . 6-2, 190 . . . played four seasons and earned two varsity letters after transferring from Iowa Western Community College . . . was an (AP) first-team all-conference selection as a senior . . . born 10-1-65 in LeMars, Iowa, where he attended Walnut Senior High School . . . was an all-state, all-conference and all-southwest Iowa choice . . . also lettered three times in both track and baseball and twice in basketball . . . college major was marketing . . . is single and lives in Leon, Iowa.

JOHNSON, KENNETH . . . defensive back, Florida A&M . . . 6-2, 197 . . . played four seasons and earned four letters . . . named second-team all-conference as a junior and senior . . . born 9/14/66 in Thomaston, Georgia, where he attended Relee High School . . . also participated in basketball and track . . . college major was physical education . . . he is single.

KEELER, ANDY . . . offensive line, Nebraska . . . 6-2½, 276 . . . was a three-year starter and letterman and an all-conference selection as a senior . . . born 11/16/65 in Sioux Falls, South Dakota . . . attended Harry A. Burke High School in Omaha, Nebraska, where he was named All-America and all-state as a senior . . . has a degree in economics and is single.

LINDSLEY, JEFF . . . tight end, Boise State . . . 6-3, 232 . . . played four seasons and earned three varsity letters . . . was second-team All-Big Sky conference selection his final two seasons . . . holds the school career reception record for tight ends and was named team MVP as a senior . . . born 3/9/66 in Boise, Idaho, and attended Grangeville High School where was an all-conference tailback and cornerback as a junior and senior and the conference offensive player-of-the-year as a senior . . . has a degree in business management, is single and lives in Boise, Idaho.

MILLER, JAMES . . . running back, South Carolina State . . . 5-6½, 157 . . . played four seasons and earned four varsity letters . . . was the team MVP in 1985 and a three-time team most valuable running back . . . born 8/22/64 in Greene, Colorado . . . attended Greene County High School in Greensboro, Georgia, and was named the team MVP as a senior in 1983 . . . also competed in track and basketball . . . college major was marketing.

MORGAN, KEVIN . . . running back, Virginia . . . 6-0, 225 . . . played four seasons and earned four varsity letters . . . born 2/4/66 in Richmond, Virginia . . . attended Dinwiddie (Va.) High School where he was an all-state running back and linebacker his senior year . . . he also won letters in baseball and basketball . . . college major was sociology.

PETERSEN, TONY . . . quarterback, Marshall . . . 6-2, 215 . . . played two years and earned two varsity letters . . . was an all-conference selection and the conference offensive player-of-the-year as a senior . . . also lettered three times in baseball as a relief pitcher . . . born 10/9/66 in Redding, California . . . attended Tokay High School in Lodi, California, where he was named all-conference and lettered four years in baseball . . . college major was sports management and marketing . . . he is single and lives in Lodi, California.

SYKES, SHAWN . . . running back, Mississippi . . . 5-10½, 189 . . . played four seasons and earned four letters . . . was the team MVP as a senior . . . born 5/2/69 in McComb, Mississippi . . . attended West Point (Miss.) High where he was the team most valuable player and an All-America selection his senior year . . . college major was radio and television broadcasting . . . is single and lives in West Point, Mississippi.

THOMPSON, PATRICK . . . punter, BYU . . . 5-11, 197 . . . played three seasons and earned three varsity letters . . . was a (Kodak, AP, UP, and *Sporting News*) All-America selection and All-Western Athletic Conference as a senior . . . born 7/15/66 in Lompoc, California, where he attended Lompoc High School . . . was an all-conference punter and also lettered four times in both baseball and wrestling . . . college major was construction management.

WATSON, KENNETH . . . safety, Livingston . . . 6-0, 185 . . . played four seasons and earned four letters . . . was a four-time All-Gulf South Conference player . . . born 11/10/66 in Livingston, Alabama . . . attended Minor High School in Birmingham, Alabama, where he was the team MVP his senior year . . . also played prep basketball . . . college major was industrial technolog . . . he is single and lives in Livingston, Alabama.

ROSTER BREAKDOWN

YEAR	DRAFT		TRADES		WAIVERS/FREE AGENTS	
1977	QB	Tommy Kramer (1)				
	LB	Scott Studwell (9)				
1980	DE	Doug Martin (1)				
1981	T	Tim Irwin (3)			WR	Leo Lewis (FA)
	QB	Wade Wilson (8)				
1982	RB	Darrin Nelson (1)				
	TE	Steve Jordan (7)				
1983	S	Joey Browner (1)				
	CB	Carl Lee (7)				
1984	DE	Keith Millard (1)				
	RB	Alfred Anderson (3)				
	RB	Allen Rice (5b)				
	LB	David Howard (S-3)				
1985	DE	Chris Doleman (1)	WR	Anthony Carter	WR	Jim Gustafson (FA)
	CB	Issiac Holt (2)			T	David Huffman (FA/D2-79)
	C	Kirk Lowdermilk (3a)				
	NT	Tim Newton (6b)				
1986	WR	Hassan Jones (5)	T	Gary Zimmerman	K	Chuck Nelson (FA)
	TE	Carl Hilton (7)				
	LB	Jesse Solomon (12)				
1987	RB	D.J. Dozier (1)	QB	Rich Gannon	P	Bucky Scribner (FA)
	LB	Ray Berry (2)	C	Chris Foote	OL	Randy Rasmussen (FA)
	NT	Henry Thomas (3)				
	CB	Reggie Rutland (4)				
	RB	Rick Fenney (8)				
1988	G	Randall McDaniel (1)				
	S	Brad Edwards (2)				
	DL	Al Noga (3)				
	G	Todd Kalis(4)				
	S	Darrell Fullington (5)				
	T	Brian Habib (10)				
	WR	Ryan Bethea (S-5)				
1989	LB	David Braxton (2)	LB	Mike Merriweather	CB	Darryl Smith (FA)
	T	John Hunter (3)			CB	Audrey McMillian (FA)
	TE	Darryl Ingram (4)			S	Travis Curtis (FA)
	T	Jeff Mickel (6)			LB	Mark Dusbabek (FA)
	NT	Benji Roland (7)			DE	Curtis Greer (FA)
	DE	Alex Stewart (8)			WR	Anthony Allen (FA)
	RB	Brad Baxter (11)			LB	John Galvin (FA)
	LB	Shawn Woodson (12a)			DT	Thomas Strauthers (FA)
	WR	Everett Ross (12b)			P	Pat Thompson (FA)
					QB	Tony Petersen (FA)
					K	Pat Beaty (FA)
					WR	Jarrod Delaney (FA)
					S	Ken Johnson (FA)
					CB	Joe Fuller (FA)
					DB	Ken Watson (FA)
					RB	Robert Carter (FA)
					RB	Kevin Morgan (FA)
					TE	Jeff Lindsley (FA)
					S	Jaime Fitzgerald (FA)
					RB	Shawn Sykes (FA)
					C	Mark Rodenhauser (FA)
					G	Matt Fitts (FA)
					DE	Jeff Faulkner (FA)
					G	Andy Keeler (FA)
					LB	Darrell Ellison (FA)
					WR	Deven Harberts (FA)
					WR	James Miller (FA)

DRAFT HISTORY/SINCE 1977

1977
1 Tommy Kramer, QB, Rice
2 Dennis Swilley, G, Texas A & M
3 Tom Hannon, S. Michigan State
5 Ken Moore, TE, Northern Illinois
6 Traded to New England (Doug Dumler)
7 Traded to Cincinnati (Orlando Nelson)
8 Clint Strozier, S, Southern California
9 Scott Studwell, LB, Illinois
10 Dan Beaver, K, Illinois
11 Keith Hertwig, WR, Arizona
12 Jim Kelleher, RB, Colorado

1978
1 Randy Holloway, DE, Pittsburgh
2 John Turner, CB, Miami
3 Whip Walton, LB, San Diego St.
4 Jim Hough, C, Utah State
8 Mike Wood, K, S.E. Missouri
9 Mike Deutsch, P, Colorado State
10 Hughie Shaw, RB, Texas A & I
11 Ron Harris, RB, Colorado State
12 Jeff Morrow, T, Minnesota

1979
1 Ted Brown, RB, North Carolina
2 Dave Huffman, C, Notre Dame
4 Steve Dils, QB, Stanford
5 Jerry Meter, LB, Michigan
6 Joe Senser, TE, West Chester State
7 Bob Winkel, DT, Kentucky
9 Billy Diggs, WR, Winston-Salem
11 Brian Nelson, WR, Texas Tech
12 David Stephens, LB, Kentucky

1980
1 Doug Martin, DT, Washington
2 Willie Teal, CB, Louisiana State
3 Brent Boyd, G/C, UCLA
4 Dennis Johnson, LB, USC
5 Doug Paschal, RB, North Carolina
5 Paul Jones, RB, California
6 Ray Yakavonis, DE, E. Stroudsburg St.
7 Henry Johnson, LB, Georgia Tech
9 Dennis Mosley, RB/WR, Iowa
10 Ken Brown, WR/RS, Nebraska
11 Sam Harrell, RB, East Carolina
12 Thomas Lane, S, Florida A & M

1981
1 Traded to Baltimore
2 Mardye McDole, WR, Mississippi
2 Robin Sendlein, LB, Texas
2 Jarvis Redwine, RB, Nebraska
3 Tim Irwin, T, Tennessee
4 John Swain, DB, Miami (Fla.)
5 Wendell Ray, DE, Missouri
7 Don Shaver, RB, Kutztown St. (Pa.)
8 Wade Wilson, QB/P, East Texas St.
9 Traded to Seattle (Nick Bebout)
10 James Murphy, WR, Utah State
11 William Stephanos, T, Boston College
12 Brian Williams, TE, Southern

1982
1 Darrin Nelson, RB, Stanford
2 Terry Tausch, T, Texas
4 Jim Fahnhorst, LB, Minnesota
6 Greg Storr, LB, Boston College
7 Steve Jordan, TE, Brown University
8 Kirk Harmon, LB, Pacific
9 Bryan Howard, S, Tennessee State
10 Gerald Lucear, WR, Temple
11 Curtis Rouse, G, Chattanooga
12 Hobson Milner, RB, Cincinnati

1983
1 Joey Browner, DB, USC
3 Walker Lee Ashley, LB, Penn State
4 Mark Rush, RB, Miami (Fla.)
5 Mark Stewart, LB, Washington
6 Mike Jones, WR, Tennessee State
7 Carl Lee, DB, Marshall
8 Norris Brown, TE, Georgia
9 Rod Achter, WR, Toledo
10 Melvin Brown, DB/S, Mississippi
11 Brian Butcher, G, Clemson
12 Maurice Turner, RB, Utah State

1984
1 Keith Millard, DE, Washington*
3 Alfred Anderson, RB, Baylor
5 Allen Rice, RB, Baylor
6 Dwight Collins, WR, Pittsburgh
7 John Haines, DT, Texas
7 Loyd Lewis, G, Texas A & I*
8 Paul Svercheck, DT, Cal Poly-SLO
9 Keith Kidd, WR, Arkansas
10 James Spencer, LB, Oklahoma State
11 Edgar Picket, LB, Clemson
11 Lawrence Thompson, WR, Miami (Fla.)
12 Mike A. Jones, RB, No. Carolina A&T*

1985
1 Chris Doleman, LB, Pittsburgh
2 Issiac Holt, CB, Alcorn State
3 Kirk Lowdermilk, C, Ohio State
3 Tim Meamber, LB, Washington
3 Tim Long, T, Memphis State
4 George "Buster" Rhymes, WR, Oklahoma
4 Kyle Morrell, S, Brigham Young
5 Mark MacDonald, G, Boston College
6 Steve Bono, QB, UCLA
6 Tim Newton, NT, Florida
7 Traded to Green Bay (Jan Stenerud)
8 Nikita Blair, LB, Texas El Paso
9 Jaime Covington, RB, Syracuse
10 Juan Johnson, WR, Langston
11 Tim Williams, DB, North Carolina A&T
12 Byron Jones, DT, Tulsa

1986
1 Gerald Robinson, DE, Auburn
2 Traded to N.Y. Giants (Gary Zimmerman)
2 Traded to Miami (Anthony Carter)
2 Traded to N.Y. Giants (Gary Zimmerman)
3 Traded to San Diego
4 Joe Phillips, DT, Southern Methodist
5 Hassan Jones, WR, Florida State
6 Thomas Rooks, RB, Illinois
7 Carl Hilton, TE, Houston
8 Gary Schippang, T, W. Chester St.
9 Mike Slaton, DB, South Dakota
10 Joe Cormier, TE/WR, USC
11 John Armstrong, WR, Richmond
12 Jesse Solomon, LB, Florida State

1987
1 D.J. Dozier, RB, Penn State
2 Ray Berry, LB, Baylor
3 Henry Thomas, NT, LSU
4 Reggie Rutland, S, Georgia Tech
5 Traded to Miami
6 Greg Richardson, WR/KR, Alabama
7 Traded to Seattle (John Harris)
8 Rick Fenney, RB, Washington
9 Leonard Jones, S, Texas Tech
10 Robert Riley, T, Indiana
11 Brent Pease, QB, Montana
12 Keith Williams, DT, Florida

1988
1 Randall McDaniel, G, ASU
2 Brad Edwards, S, South Carolina
3 Al Noga, DT, Hawaii
4 Todd Kalis, G, ASU
5 Darrell Fullington, OS, Miami
6 Derrick White, CB, Oklahoma
7 Brad Beckman, TE, Neb.-Omaha
8 Joe Cain, LB, Oregon Tech.
9 Paul McGowan, LB, Florida State
10 Brian Habib, DT, Washington
11 Norman Floyd, S, South Carolina

1989
1 Traded to Pittsburgh for linebacker Mike Merriweather
2 David Braxton, LB, Wake Forest
3 John Hunter, T, BYU
4 Darryl Ingram, TE, California
5 Exercised in 1988 Supplemental Draft (Ryan Bethea, WR, So. Carolina)
6 Jeff Mickel, T, Eastern Washington
7 Benji Roland, NT, Auburn
8 Alex Stewart, DE, Cal-State Fullerton
9 Traded to New England for Patriots 11th round pick in 1988 (Norman Floyd, So. Carolina)
10 Traded to Miami for Greg Koch
11 Brad Baxter, RB, Alabama State
12a Shawn Woodson, LB, James Madison
12b Everett Ross, WR/KR, Ohio State

TRADES/SINCE 1977

1977

7th Draft Choice '78 to Philadelphia for S **Bill Bradley**

8th Draft Choice '78 and 10th Choice '79 to New York Jets for S **Phil Wise**

LB Amos Martin and S **Autry Beamon** to Seattle for 8th Draft Choice '78

5th Draft Choice '78 to New York Giants for TE **Bob Tucker**

1978

G **Ed White** to San Diego for RB **Rickey Young**

8th Draft Choice '79 to Baltimore for T **Frank Myers**

1979

DE **Carl Eller** and 8th Draft Choice '80 to Seattle for DT **Steve Niehaus**

1980

RB **Chuck Foreman** to New England for 3rd Draft Choice '81

6th Draft Choice '81 and 5th Draft Choice '82 to Miami for C **Jim Langer**

2nd and 3rd Draft Choices '80 to San Francisco for 2nd Draft Choice '80

1981

3rd Draft Choice '82 to New Orleans for RB **Tony Galbreath**

1st Draft Choice '81 to Baltimore for two 2nds and a 5th Draft Choice '81

1982

T Ron Yary to Rams for 10th Draft Choice '83

2nd Draft Choice '83 to Philadelphia for NT **Charlie Johnson**

1983

2nd and 4th Draft Choices '84 to Houston for QB **Archie Manning** and TE **Dave Casper**

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1984

5th Draft Choice '84 to Raiders for Raiders 5th, 7th and 11th Choices '84

S **John Turner** to San Diego for 3rd Draft Choice '85

QB **Steve Dils** to Rams for 4th Draft Choice '85

RB **Tony Galbreath** to N.Y. Giants for LB **Brad Van Pelt**

LB **Brad Van Pelt** to Raiders for 6th Draft Choice '85 and 2nd Draft Choice '86

7th Draft Choice '85 to Green Bay for K **Jan Stenerud**

1985

Houston's 1st in '85 for Vikings 1st in '85

Vikings trade 1st (from Houston) to Atlanta for Falcons' 1st and 3rd in '85

LB **Robin Sendlein** and 2nd Draft Choice '86 to Miami for rights to WR **Anthony Carter**

1986

1st and 3rd Draft Choices '86 to San Diego for San Diego's '86 1st and 2nd round choices

Two 2nd round choices to Giants for rights to **Gary Zimmerman**

WR **Mike Jones** to New Orleans for RB **Wayne Wilson**

7th Draft Choice '87 to Seattle for S **John Harris**

1987

1st and 5th '87 to Miami for Miami's 1st in 1987

S **Steve Freeman** from Buffalo for past consideration

4th and 11th Draft Choices in '88 to New England for QB **Rich Gannon**

T **Greg Koch** from Dolphins for 6th in '88

C **Chris Foote** from Giants for 12th in '88

1988

2nd in '88 to Denver for Broncos' 2nd, 4th and 6th round Choices in '88

9th in '89 to New England for Patriots' 11th Choice in '88

1989

1st Draft Choice in '89 to Pittsburgh for the rights to LB **Mike Merriweather.**

11th Draft Choice in '90 to L.A. Raiders for Raiders' 12th Choice in '89.

1988 REGULAR SEASON STATISTICS

INDIVIDUAL

Rushing	No.	Yds.	Avg.	LG	TD
D. Nelson	112	380	3.4	27	1
Rice	110	322	2.9	24	6
Anderson	87	300	3.4	18	7
Fenney	55	271	4.9	28	3
Dozier	42	167	4.0	19t	2
D. Harris	34	151	4.4	34	1
Wilson	36	136	3.8	15	2
Carter	4	42	10.3	21	0
Gannon	4	29	7.3	15	0
Kramer	14	8	0.6	5	0
Jones	1	7	7.0	7	0
Scribner	1	0	0.0	0	0
Mularkey	1	−6	−6.0	−6	0
Vikings Total	501	1806	3.6	34	22
Opp Total	435	1602	3.7	51t	10

Receiving	No.	Yds.	Avg.	LG	TD
Carter	72	1225	17.0	67t	6
Jordan	57	756	13.3	38	5
Jones	40	778	19.5	68t	5
Rice	30	279	9.3	38	0
Anderson	23	242	10.5	19	1
D. Nelson	16	105	6.6	27	0
Gustafson	15	231	15.4	47	1
Fenney	15	224	14.9	42	0
Lewis	11	141	12.8	46t	1
D. Harris	6	30	5.0	7	0
Dozier	5	49	9.8	20	0
Mularkey	3	39	13.0	19	0
Hilton	1	1	1.0	1t	1
Vikings Total	294	4100	13.9	68t	20
Opp Total	219	2763	12.6	76t	12

Interceptions	No.	Yds.	Avg.	LG	TD
Lee	8	118	14.8	58t	2
Browner	5	29	5.8	18	0
Solomon	4	84	21.0	78t	1
Rutland	3	63	21.0	36	0
Fullington	3	57	19.0	40	0
Harris	3	46	15.3	27	0
Howard	3	16	5.3	10	0
Edwards	2	47	23.5	37t	1
Holt	2	15	7.5	15	0
Ashley	1	94	94.0	94t	1
Henderson	1	13	13.0	13	0
Thomas	1	7	7.0	7	0
Vikings Total	36	589	16.4	94t	5
Opp Total	18	212	11.8	52t	1

Kickoff Returns	No.	Yds.	Avg.	LG	TD
D. Harris	39	833	21.4	30	0
D. Nelson	9	210	23.3	30	0
Dozier	5	105	21.0	27	0
Carter	1	0	0.0	0	0
Lewis	1	12	12.0	12	0
Rice	1	0	0.0	0	0
Viking Total	56	1160	20.7	30	0
Opp Total	81	1622	20.0	44	0

Field Goals	1-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50+	Total
C. Nelson	2/3	7/7	10/10	1/5	–	20/25
Vik Total	2/3	7/7	10/10	1/5	–	20/25
Opp Total	1/1	6/7	8/8	4/7	2/2	21/25

Field Goals (Made, missed) C. Nelson (42,30); (39,24); (37); (21,27,45,32); (40); (); (49); (); (); (18) (39,27); (25,26,30,49); (21,33,18); (37); (18,38,37)

Scoring	TDR	TDP	TDRt	PAT	FG	S	TP
C. Nelson	–	–	–	48/49	20/25	–	108
Anderson	7	1	0	–	–	–	48
Carter	0	6	0	–	–	–	36
Rice	6	0	0	–	–	–	36
Jones	0	5	0	–	–	–	30
Jordan	0	5	0	–	–	–	30
Fenney	3	0	0	–	–	–	18
Dozier	2	0	0	–	–	–	12
Lee	0	0	2	–	–	–	12
Wilson	2	0	0	–	–	–	12
Ashley	–	–	1	–	–	–	6
Edwards	–	–	1	–	–	–	6
Gustafson	0	1	0	–	–	–	6
D. Harris	1	0	0	–	–	–	6
Hilton	0	1	0	–	–	–	6
Lewis	0	1	0	–	–	–	6
C. Martin	0	0	1	–	–	–	6
D. Nelson	1	0	0	–	–	–	6
Solomon	–	–	1	–	–	–	6
Thomas	–	–	1	–	–	–	6
Holt	–	–	–	–	–	1	2
Doleman/Baker	–	–	–	–	–	1	2
Vik Total	22	20	7	48/49	20/25	2	406
Opp Total	10	12	2	22/24	21/25	2	233

Score By Periods	1	2	3	4	OT	Total
Vikings Total	82	132	91	101	–	406
Opp. Total	46	73	62	52	–	233

Passing	Att.	Comp.	Yards	Pct.	Avg./Att.	TD	% TD	Int.	% Int.	LG	Lost/Att.	Rtg.
Wilson	332	204	2746	61.4	8.27	15	4.5	9	2.7	68t	33/227	91.5
Kramer	173	83	1264	48.0	7.31	5	2.9	9	5.2	47	11/62	60.5
Gannon	15	7	90	46.7	6.00	0	0.0	0	0.0	19	3/22	66.0
Vikings Total	520	294	4100	56.5	7.88	20	3.8	18	3.5	68t	47/311	80.4
Opp Total	480	219	2763	45.6	5.76	12	2.5	36	7.5	76t	37/274	41.2

Punting	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TB	In 20	LG	Blk
Scribner	84	3387	40.3	9	23	55	2
Vikings Total	86	3387	39.4	9	23	55	2
Opp Total	96	4059	42.3	7	15	62	1

Punt Returns	No.	FC	Yds.	Avg.	LG	TD
Lewis	58	19	550	9.5	64	0
Carter	1	1	3	3.0	3	0
Vikings Total	59	20	553	9.4	64	0
Opp Total	39	13	405	10.4	40	0

TEAM

	Vikings	Opponent
TOTAL FIRST DOWNS	318	243
Rushing	112	85
Passing	187	132
Penalty	19	26
3rd down: Made/att.	83/222	59/203
4th down: Made/att.	8/17	3/7
TOTAL NET YARDS	5595	4091
Avg. per game	349.7	255.7
Total plays	1068	952
Avg. per play	5.2	4.3
NET YARDS RUSHING	1806	1602
Avg. per game	112.9	100.1
Total rushes	501	435
NET YARDS PASSING	3789	2489
Avg. per game	236.8	155.6
Tackled/yards lost	47/311	37/274
Gross Yards	4100	2763
Attempts/Comp.	520/294	480/219
Pct. of completions	56.5	45.6
Had intercepted	18	36
PUNTS/AVERAGE	86/39.4	96/42.3
NET PUNTING AVERAGE	32.6	35.1
PENALTIES/YARDS	118/998	91/753
FUMBLES/BALL LOST	22/12	36/17
TOUCHDOWNS	49	24
Rushing	22	10
Passing	20	12
Returns	7	2

DEFENSIVE

				Sacks/					Special Teams			Fumbles			
	Solos	Assists	Totals	Yds Lost	Int/ Yards	Fumbles Caus	Fumbles Recov	TD Ret.	Solos	Assists	Totals	Caus	Rec.	Blkd. Kick	TD Ret
Solomon	96	25	121	2½/16	4/84	1	2	1 Int	0	3	3	0	0	0	0
Studwell	81	45	126	1/07	0/00	2	2	0	4	1	5	0	0	0	0
Browner	73	43	116	0/00	5/29	1	2	0	7	2	9	0	0	0	0
Millard	70	20	90	8/49	0/00	3	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Thomas	53	27	80	6/55	1/07	4	1	1Fum	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lee	51	9	60	0/00	8/118	0	1	2 Int	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Doleman	42	16	58	8/61	0/00	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Holt	30	3	33	0/00	2/15	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	1 Punt	0
Edwards	27	9	36	0/00	2/47	0	0	1 Int	5	2	7	0	0	0	0
Harris, J.	23	13	36	0/00	3/46	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Howard	23	10	33	1/09	3/16	1	2	0	8	5	13	0	0	0	0
Ashley	23	7	30	0/00	1/94	0	0	1 Int	10	8	18	0	0	0	0
Baker	23	7	30	5½/35	0/00	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Newton	22	8	30	1/12	0/00	1	1	0	2	0	2	0	0	0	0
Henderson	21	4	25	0/00	1/13	1	0	0	18	5	23	1	0	0	0
Martin, D.	18	15	33	4/30	0/00	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Berry	15	4	19	0/00	0/00	0	0	0	10	7	17	0	0	0	0
Rutland	14	4	18	0/00	3/63	0	1	0	14	3	17	0	1	0	0
Fullington	10	5	15	0/00	3/57	0	1	0	2	2	4	0	0	0	0
Mays	2	1	3	0/00	0/00	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Noga	1	0	1	0/00	0/00	0	0	0	4	2	6	0	0	0	0
Carter	0	0	0	0/00	0/00	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Anno	0	0	0	0/00	0/00	0	0	0	10	4	14	1	0	0	0
Mularkey	0	0	0	0/00	0/00	0	0	0	7	2	9	0	0	0	0
Fenney	0	0	0	0/00	0/00	0	0	0	4	1	5	1	0	0	0
McDaniel	0	0	0	0/00	0/00	0	0	0	3	1	4	0	0	0	0
Anderson	0	0	0	0/00	0/00	0	0	0	3	0	3	0	0	0	0
Scribner	0	0	0	0/00	0/00	0	0	0	3	0	3	0	0	0	0
Hilton	0	0	0	0/00	0/00	0	0	0	2	2	4	0	0	0	0
Rice	0	0	0	0/00	0/00	0	0	0	1	2	3	0	0	0	0
Foote	0	0	0	0/00	0/00	0	0	0	1	1	2	0	0	0	0
Harris, D.	0	0	0	0/00	0/00	0	0	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	0
Irwin	0	0	0	0/00	0/00	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1 FG	0
Departed	10	7	17	0/00	0/00	0	0	0	5	2	7	0	1	0	1 fum
Totals	728	282	1010	37/274	36/589	19	15	6	124	57	181	3	2	2	1

1988 PLAYOFF STATISTICS

INDIVIDUAL

Rushing	No.	Yds.	Avg.	LG	TD
Rice	22	99	4.5	17t	1
Fenney	8	25	3.1	6	0
Anderson	9	18	2.0	8	2
D. Nelson	5	12	2.4	6	0
Wilson	8	3	0.4	6	0
Vikings Total	52	157	3.0	17t	3
Opp Total	58	308	5.3	80t	2

Receiving	No.	Yds.	Avg.	LG	TD
Jones	9	99	11.0	18	1
Carter	7	147	21.0	46	0
Anderson	5	46	9.2*	18	0
Rice	5	38	7.6	12	0
Jordan	4	63	15.8	20	0
Fenney	4	15	3.8	8	0
Gustafson	3	70	23.3	34	0
Lewis	1	19	19.0	19	0
Nelson, D.	1	6	6.0	6	0
Hilton	1	5	5.0	5t	1
Vikings Total	40	508	12.7	46	2
Opp Total	36	424	11.8	29	5

Interceptions	No.	Yds.	Avg.	LG	TD
Browner	3	40	13.3	26	0
Studwell	1	0	0.0	0	0
Vikings Total	4	40	10.0	26	0
Opp Total	2	10	5.0	5	0

Kickoff Returns	No.	Yds.	Avg.	LG	TD
D. Harris	6	113	18.8	25	0
D. Nelson	2	37	18.5	25	0
Jordan	1	4	4.0	4	0
Viking Total	9	154	17.1	25	0
Opp Total	8	145	18.1	35	0

Field Goals	1-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50+	Total
C. Nelson	–	–	–	1/2	–	0/1
Vik Total	–	–	–	1/2	–	0/1
Opp Total	–	–	–	1/2	–	1/2

Field Goals (Made, (Missed) C. Nelson (44,47)

Punting	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TB	In 20	LG	Blk
Scribner	14	556	40.4	1	1	51	0
Vikings Total	14	566	40.4	1	1	51	0
Opp Total	10	422	42.2	1	2	63	0

Punt Returns	No.	FC	Yds.	Avg.	LG	TD
Carter	3	3	16	5.3	9	0
Lewis	2	0	26	13.0	14	0
Vikings Total	5	3	42	8.4	14	0
Opp Total	7	2	87	12.4	32	0

Score By Periods	1	2	3	4	OT	TOTAL
Vikings Total	17	0	13	7	–	37
Opp. Total	7	21	3	20	–	51

Scoring	TDR	TDP	TDRt	PAT	FG	S	TP
Anderson	2	–	–	–	–	–	12
C. Nelson	–	–	–	4/5	1/2	–	7
Rice	1	–	–	–	–	–	6
Hilton	–	1	–	–	–	–	6
Jones	–	1	–	–	–	–	6
Vik Total	3	2	0	4/5	1/2	0	37
Opp Total	2	5	0	6/7	1/3	0	51

TEAM

	Vikings	Opponent
TOTAL FIRST DOWNS	40	39
Rushing	11	11
Passing	25	26
Penalty	4	2
3rd down: Made/att.	10/30	11/27
4th down: Made/att.	2/3	0/1
TOTAL NET YARDS	572	714
Avg. per game	286.0	357.0
Total plays	138	133
Avg. per play	4.1	5.4
NET YARDS RUSHING	157	308
Avg. per game	78.5	154.0
Total rushes	52	58
NET YARDS PASSING	415	406
Avg. per game	207.5	203.0
Tackled/yards lost	11/93	2/18
Gross Yards	508	424
Attempts/Comp.	75/40	73/36
Pct. of completions	53.3	49.3
Had intercepted	2	4
PUNTS/AVERAGE	14/40.4	10/42.2
NET PUNTING AVERAGE	32.8	36.0
PENALTIES/YARDS	15/130	16/114
FUMBLES/BALL LOST	2/1	2/1
TOUCHDOWNS	5	7
Rushing	3	2
Passing	2	5
Returns	0	0

Passing	Att.	Comp.	Yards	Pct.	Avg./Att.	TD	% TD	Int.	% Int.	LG	Lost/Att.	Rtg.
Wilson	75	40	508	53.3	6.77	2	2.7	2	2.7	46	11/93	72.5
Vikings Total	75	40	508	53.3	6.77	2	2.7	2	2.7	46	11/93	72.5
Opp Total	73	36	424	49.3	5.81	5	6.8	4	5.5	29	2/18	67.4

Defensive Statistics

	Solos	Assists	Totals	Sacks/ Yds Lost	Int/ Yards	Fumbles Caus	Fumbles Recov	TD Ret.	Special Teams Solos	Special Teams Assists	Special Teams Totals	Fumbles Caus	Fumbles Rec.	Blkd. Kicks	TD Ret
Studwell	13	7	20	0/0	1/0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Browner	12	4	16	1/12	3/40	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Berry	11	6	17	0/0	0/0	0	0	0	1	1	2	0	0	0	0
Lee	8	4	12	0/0	0/0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Millard	8	2	10	0/0	0/0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Thomas	6	3	9	1/6	0/0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Rutland	5	4	9	0/0	0/0	0	0	0	1	1	2	0	0	0	0
Doleman	5	1	6	0/0	0/0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Baker	4	6	10	0/0	0/0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Harris	4	5	9	0/0	0/0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Howard	4	3	7	0/0	0/0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Fullington	3	1	4	0/0	0/0	1	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
Holt	2	0	2	0/0	0/0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ashley	1	0	1	0/0	0/0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
Noga	1	0	1	0/0	0/0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hilton	0	0	0	0/0	0/0	0	0	0	3	0	3	0	0	0	0
Anderson	0	0	0	0/0	0/0	0	0	0	2	0	2	0	0	0	0
Anno	0	0	0	0/0	0/0	0	0	0	2	0	2	0	0	0	0
Henderson	0	0	0	0/0	0/0	0	0	0	2	0	2	0	0	0	0
Mularkey	0	0	0	0/0	0/0	0	0	0	1	1	2	0	0	0	0
Fenney	0	0	0	0/0	0/0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
Rice	0	0	0	0/0	0/0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0
Totals	87	46	113	2/18	4/40	1	1	0	15	4	19	0	0	0	0

Results and Attendance (Actual)

Sept. 4	at Buffalo (76,783)	L 10-13
Sept. 11	New England (55,545)	W 36-6
Sept. 18	at Chicago (63,990)	W 31-7
Sept. 25	Philadelphia (56,012)	W 23-21
Oct. 2	at Miami (59,867)	L 7-24
Oct. 9	Tampa Bay (55,374)	W 14-13
Oct. 16	Green Bay (59,053)	L 14-34
Oct. 23	at Tampa Bay (48,020)	W 49-20
Oct. 30	at San Francisco (60,738)	L 21-24
Nov. 6	Detroit (55,573)	W 44-17
Nov. 13	at Dallas (57,830)	W 43-3
Nov. 20	Indianapolis (58,342)	W 12-3
Nov. 24	at Detroit (46,379)	W 23-0
Dec. 4	New Orleans (61,215)	W 45-3
Dec. 11	at Green Bay (48,892)	L 6-18
Dec. 19	Chicago (62,067)	W 28-27
Dec. 26	L.A. Rams (57,666)	W 28-17
Jan. 1	at San Francisco (61,848)	L 9-34

1988 VIKING OFFENSE

	FIRST DOWNS				TOTAL OFFENSE			RUSHING		PASSING					
Opponent/date	Tot	Rush	Pass	Pen	Yds	Pl	Avg	Yds	Pl	Net Yds	Sack	Grs. Yds.	Att	Comp	Int
Buffalo Sept. 4	21	10	10	1	300	71	4.2	32	13	170	6	204	33	19	1
Patriots Sept. 11	25	13	12	0	415	77	5.4	150	42	265	3	282	32	17	1
Bears Sept 18	20	5	14	1	376	63	6.0	127	35	249	1	258	27	15	1
Eagles Sept. 25	21	6	14	1	392	82	4.8	105	40	287	5	321	37	19	1
Dolphins Oct. 2	17	3	13	1	350	69	5.1	58	19	295	2	310	48	20	4
Tampa Bay Oct. 9	15	4	11	0	276	52	5.3	69	20	207	2	209	30	19	1
Green Bay Oct. 16	20	6	13	1	324	56	5.8	67	15	257	3	285	38	20	1
Tampa Bay Oct. 23	23	9	14	0	433	76	5.7	128	42	305	4	335	30	22	0
49ers Oct. 30	15	5	9	1	321	63	5.1	92	31	229	2	243	30	18	2
Lions Nov. 6	33	14	17	2	553	79	7.0	198	39	355	5	391	35	28	1
Cowboys Nov. 13	18	4	10	4	325	63	5.1	103	29	222	4	251	30	13	1
Colts Nov. 20	13	4	8	1	275	57	4.8	83	28	192	0	192	29	17	0
Lions Nov. 24	24	12	11	1	353	74	4.8	181	51	172	2	186	21	16	0
Saints Dec. 4	20	11	9	0	426	63	6.8	209	38	217	1	223	24	15	1
Packers Dec. 11	15	1	13	1	245	64	3.8	44	19	211	3	233	41	20	1
Bears Dec. 19	17	4	9	4	218	60	3.6	62	21	156	4	177	35	16	2
Wild Card															
Rams Dec. 26	20	7	11	2	310	66	4.7	103	33	207	5	253	28	17	0
Divisional															
49ers Jan. 1	20	4	14	2	262	72	3.6	54	19	208	6	255	47	23	2

1988 VIKING DEFENSE (against opp.)

	FIRST DOWNS				TOTAL OFFENSE			RUSHING		PASSING					
Opponent/date	Tot	Rush	Pass	Pen	Yds	Pl	Avg	Yds	Pl	Net Yds	Sack	Grs Yds	Att	Comp	Int
Buffalo Sept. 4	18	7	10	1	310	59	5.2	114	27	196	1	204	31	17	1
Patriots Sept. 11	12	6	5	1	214	51	4.2	103	22	111	0	111	29	10	4
Bears Sept. 18	15	6	7	2	235	56	4.2	70	18	165	2	182	36	16	3
Eagles Sept. 25	12	5	6	1	205	56	3.7	70	24	135	8	187	24	13	1
Dolphins Oct. 2	20	5	14	1	342	68	5.0	78	31	264	0	264	37	20	3
Tampa Bay Oct. 9	18	9	8	1	331	65	5.1	177	39	154	1	170	25	12	2
Green Bay Oct. 16	22	8	11	3	355	79	4.5	125	45	230	2	243	32	19	1
Tampa Bay Oct. 23	18	1	14	3	243	62	3.9	28	16	215	1	223	45	19	6
49ers Oct 30	16	5	9	2	339	57	6.0	130	28	209	4	232	25	14	0
Lions Nov. 6	8	3	4	1	89	41	2.2	68	15	21	4	63	22	8	1
Cowboys Nov. 13	12	5	4	3	160	61	2.6	102	28	58	5	93	28	10	4
Colts Nov. 20	17	7	8	2	213	57	3.7	103	27	110	3	139	27	13	2
Lions Nov. 24	3	0	3	0	60	33	1.8	18	11	42	2	48	20	6	2
Saints Dec. 4	13	6	6	1	233	67	3.5	126	29	107	1	110	37	10	2
Packers Dec. 11	19	6	12	1	298	68	4.4	97	37	201	1	209	30	16	3
Bears Dec. 19	21	7	11	3	465	71	6.5	185	38	280	1	285	32	16	1
Wild Card															
Rams Dec. 26	19	4	15	0	342	70	4.9	107	24	235	1	247	45	19	3
Divisional															
49ers Jan. 1	20	7	11	2	372	63	5.9	201	34	171	1	177	28	17	1

GAME BY GAME

PUNTING			PUNT RETURN		K.O. RETURN		PENS.		FUMB		SCORING					
Att	Avg	Blk	No	Avg	No	Avg	No	Yds	No	Lost	TD Rush	TD Pass	TD Ret	FG	Pat	Saf
5	44.2	0	5	8.6	4	21	4	25	2	1	1	0	0	1	1	0
3	45.7	0	1	8.0	4	49	9	65	2	1	3	1	0	2	4	1
5	35.8	0	3	7.3	2	20	8	55	1	0	0	3	1	1	4	0
7	32.1	1	4	12.0	4	23.5	4	25	2	2	2	0	0	3	2	0
6	43.3	0	2	6.0	2	19.5	8	55	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0
7	35.7	0	3	5.0	3	27.3	11	76	1	1	1	1	0	0	2	0
5	31.6	1	2	7.5	7	22.0	15	129	5	4	1	1	0	0	2	0
5	40.8	0	3	11.6	4	23.5	9	111	1	1	3	3	1	0	7	0
6	42.2	0	5	8.8	5	23.2	7	33	1	1	2	1	0	0	3	0
2	44.5	0	6	7.0	4	18.3	8	96	0	0	4	2	0	1	5	0
7	40.8	0	4	3.3	3	21.3	9	82	2	0	1	3	1	2	5	1
5	45.8	0	4	13.8	2	25.5	6	76	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0
5	37.4	0	6	11.2	1	23.0	3	25	0	0	2	0	0	3	2	0
5	44.6	0	4	5.5	2	7.5	5	40	2	0	1	3	2	1	6	0
5	34.4	0	2	7.0	4	18.0	3	25	3	1	0	0	0	2	0	0
8	39.0	0	5	19.6	5	22.0	8	60	0	0	1	2	1	0	4	0
7	41.6	0	2	7.5	3	19.3	6	40	1	0	3	1	0	0	4	0
7	39.3	0	3	9.0	6	16.0	9	90	1	1	0	1	0	1	0	0

GAME BY GAME

PUNTING			PUNT RETURN		K.O. RETURN		PENS.		FUMB		SCORING					
Att	Avg	Blk	No	Avg	No	Avg	No	Yds	No	Lost	TD Rush	TD Pass	TD Ret	FGT	Pat	Saf
5	44.0	0	0	0	3	15.0	1	5	1	0	1	0	0	2	1	0
4	38.5	0	2	14.0	7	19.7	7	43	2	1	0	0	0	2	0	0
5	41.8	0	3	7.3	5	19.2	4	30	3	2	0	1	0	0	1	0
10	41.9	1	2	7.0	5	13.6	8	59	2	1	1	2	0	0	3	0
6	42.3	0	3	9.3	2	11.0	7	55	1	0	1	2	0	1	3	0
5	37.0	0	1	8.0	3	26.3	7	45	2	1	0	1	0	2	1	0
4	42.5	0	3	12.0	4	17.0	5	50	3	1	2	0	1	4	1	1
3	40.0	0	2	33.0	8	23.3	3	25	1	1	1	1	0	2	2	0
7	43.6	0	4	11.0	4	25.0	6	61	3	2	2	1	0	1	3	0
6	44.5	0	1	20.0	8	21.8	6	68	2	1	0	1	1	1	2	0
6	41.6	0	5	3.8	8	26.0	15	131	4	3	0	0	0	1	0	0
6	41.7	0	3	12.3	5	15.8	5	30	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
8	46.5	0	2	17.5	4	11.8	4	51	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
9	41.0	0	3	10.3	8	18.6	2	10	3	1	0	0	0	1	0	0
5	36.6	0	2	7.5	3	13.0	4	30	2	1	1	1	0	1	1	1
7	47.4	0	2	4.5	4	24.8	8	70	3	2	1	2	0	2	3	0
5	48.2	0	5	12.0	5	21.2	10	54	0	0	0	2	0	1	2	0
5	36.2	0	2	13.5	3	13.0	6	60	2	1	2	3	0	0	4	0

SUMMARY OF THE 1988 SEASON

Bills 13, Vikings 10
at Rich Stadium
Sept. 4 — A – 76,783

Buffalo	10	0	0	3	-13
Minnesota	0	3	0	7	-10

Buff - Norwood 27 FG
Buff - Thomas 5 run (Norwood kick)
Minn - C. Nelson 30 FG
Buff - Norwood 26 FG
Minn - Rice 2 run (C. Nelson kick)

TEAM STATISTICS	Buff	Minn
First downs	18	21
Rushes – yards	27-114	32-130
Passing yards	196	170
Return yards	0	65
Passes	31-17-1	33-19-1
Sacks by	6-34	1-8
Punts	5-44.0	5-44.2
Fumbles – lost	1-0	2-1
Penalties – yards	1-5	4-25
Time of Possession	28:56	31:04

Rushing Leaders
Buff, Thomas 18-86, Kelly 5-21
Minnesota, D. Nelson 10-50, Fenney 8-28, Wilson 4-24

Passing Leaders
Buff, Kelly 31-17-204
Minnesota, Wilson 33-19-204

Receiving Leaders
Buff, Reed 8-78, Metzelaars 2-43, Burkett 2-37
Minnesota, Jordan 3-55, Anderson 5-44, Carter 3-30

Vikings 36, Patriots 6
at HHH Metrodome
Sept. 11 — A – 55,545

New England	3	3	0	0	-6
Minnesota	10	14	2	10	-36

Minn - Darrin Nelson 8 run (C. Nelson kick)
NEng - Garcia 50 FG
Minn - C. Nelson 39 FG
Minn - Anderson 5 run (C. Nelson kick)
Minn - Carter 29 pass from Kramer (C. Nelson kick)
NEng - Garcia 23 FG
Minn - Holt tackled Feagles in endzone (safety)
Minn - C. Nelson 24 FG
Minn - D. Harris 2 run (C. Nelson kick)

TEAM STATISTICS	NEng	Minn
First downs	12	25
Rushes – yards	22-103	42-150
Passing yards	111	265
Return yards	50	51
Passes	29-10-4	32-17-1
Sacks by	0	3-17
Punts	4-38.5	3-45.7
Fumbles – lost	2-1	2-1
Penalties – yards	7-43	9-65
Time of Possession	20:56	39:04

Rushing Leaders
NEng, Stephens 7-40, Perryman 5-23, Fryar 3-12
Minnesota, D. Nelson 13-68, Anderson 3-20, Fenney 7-20

Passing Leaders
NEng, Grogan 26-9-106, Ramsey 3-1-5
Minnesota, Kramer 27-12-209, Wilson 5-5-73

Receiving Leaders
NEng, Morgan 3-49, Jones 1-23, James 1-17
Minnesota, Jordan 5-85, Carter 4-79, Jones 3-59

Vikings 31, Bears 7
at Soldier Field
Sept. 18 — A – 63,990

Chicago	7	0	0	0	-7
Minnesota	7	10	14	0	-31

Minn - Carter 40 pass from Kramer (C. Nelson kick)
Chi - Morris 11 pass from McMahon (Butler kick)
Minn - Jones 19 pass from Kramer (C. Nelson kick)
Minn - C. Nelson 37 FG
Minn - C. Martin fumble recovery in end zone (C. Nelson kick)
Minn - Carter 16 pass from Kramer (C. Nelson kick)

TEAM STATISTICS	Chi	Minn
First downs	15	20
Rushes – yards	18-70	35-127
Passing yards	165	249
Return yards	22	34
Passes	36-16-3	27-15-1
Sacks by	2-17	1-9
Punts	5-41.8	5-35.8
Fumbles – lost	3-2	1-0
Penalties – yards	4-30	8-55
Time of Possession	25:05	34:55

Rushing Leaders
Chi, Sanders 5-28, Muster 1-14, Anderson 8-12
Minnesota, Rice 16-64, Harris 6-25, Fenney 4-19

Passing Leaders
Chi, McMahon 15-9-116, Tomczak 12-3-28, Harbaugh 9-4-38
Minnesota, Kramer 25-15-258, Wilson 2-0-0

Receiving Leaders
Chi, Kozlowski 1-50, Anderson 5-37, Moorehead 2-30
Minnesota, Rice 5-75, Carter 3-68, Jordan 3-58

Vikings 23, Eagles 21
at HHH Metrodome
Sept. 25 — A – 56,012

Philadelphia	0	14	0	7	-21
Minnesota	10	0	7	6	-23

Minn - Anderson 7 run (C. Nelson kick)
Minn - C. Nelson 21 FG
Phil - Byars 1 run (Dawson kick)
Phil - Quick 22 pass from Cunningham (Dawson kick)
Minn - Wilson 3 run (C. Nelson kick)
Minn - C. Nelson 27 FG
Phil - Jackson 13 pass from Cunningham (Dawson kick)
Minn - C. Nelson 32 FG

TEAM STATISTICS	Phil	Minn
First downs	12	21
Rushes – yards	24-70	40-105
Passing yards	135	287
Return yards	26	48
Passes	24-13-1	37-19-1
Sacks by	8-52	5-34
Punts	10-41.9	7-32.1
Fumbles – lost	2-1	2-2
Penalties – yards	8-59	4-25
Time of Possession	23:37	36:23

Rushing Leaders
Phil, Toney 8-31, Byars 12-21, Cunningham 4-18
Minnesota, Rice 25-56, Anderson 8-32, Fenney 3-11

Passing Leaders
Phil, Cunningham 23-13-187, Byars 1-0-0
Minnesota, Kramer 34-17-299, Wilson 3-2-22

Receiving Leaders
Phil, Quick 3-87, Jackson 4-50, Toney 3-33
Minnesota, Carter 6-113, Rice 4-74, Jordan 4-62

Dolphins 24, Vikings 7
at Joe Robbie Stadium, Oct. 2

A – 59,867

Miami	0	17	7	0	-24
Minnesota	0	0	0	7	-7

Miami - Reveiz 38 FG
Miami - Jensen 1 pass from Marino (Reveiz kick)
Miami - Hampton 1 pass from Marino (Reveiz kick)
Miami - Hampton 5 run (Reveiz kick)
Minn - Lee 48 int. ret. (C. Nelson kick)

TEAM STATISTICS	Miami	Minn
First downs	20	17
Rushes – yards	31-78	19-58
Passing yards	264	295
Return yards	95	69
Passes	37-20-3	48-20-4
Sacks by	0	2-15
Punts	6-42.3	6-43.3
Fumbles – lost	1-0	0-0
Penalties – yards	7-55	8-55
Time of Possession	33:01	26:59

Rushing Leaders

Mia, Stradford 7-42, Hampton 11-26, Davenport 4-17
Minnesota, Rice 4-20, D. Nelson 4-15, Gannon 2-15

Passing Leaders

Mia, Marino 37-20-264
Minnesota, Kramer 33-13-220, Gannon 15-7-90

Receiving Leaders

Mia, Duper 6-81, Stradford 3-56, Clayton 3-52, Edmunds 3-50
Minnesota, Carter 4-92, Gustafson 4-89, Jordon 3-41

Vikings 14, Buccaneers 13
at HHH Metrodome
Oct. 9

A – 55,274

Tampa Bay	0	10	0	3	-13
Minnesota	7	0	7	0	-14

Minn - Carter 11 pass from Kramer (C. Nelson kick)
TBay - Carrier 14 pass from Testaverde (Igwebuike kick)
TBay - Igwebuike 31 FG
Minn - Rice 1 run (C. Nelson kick)
TBay - Igwebuike 36 FG

TEAM STATISTICS	TBay	Minn
First downs	18	15
Rushes – yards	39-177	20-69
Passing yards	154	207
Return yards	34	52
Passes	25-12-2	30-19-1
Sacks by	1-16	2-2
Punts	5-37.0	7-35.7
Fumbles – lost	2-1	1-1
Penalties – yards	7-45	11-76
Time of Possession	34:37	25:23

Rushing Leaders

TBay, Goode 14-82, Wilder 20-80, Howard 2-11
Minnesota, D. Nelson 13-52, Rice 4-11

Passing Leaders

TBay, Testaverde 25-12-170
Minnesota, Kramer 30-19-209

Receiving Leaders

TBay, Starring 1-53, Carrier 3-38, Magee 2-28, Hill 3-27
Minnesota, Carter 7-82, Jordan 3-44, D. Nelson 4-43

Packers 34, Vikings 14
at HHH Metrodome,
Oct. 16

A – 59,053

Green Bay	9	7	8	10	-34
Minnesota	0	7	0	7	-14

GBay - Fullwood 2 run (Zendejas kick failed)
GBay - Zendejas 37 FG
GBay - Woodside 5 run (Zendejas kick)
Minn - Lewis 46 pass from Wilson (C. Nelson kick)
GBay - Zendejas 22 FG
GBay - Wilson sacked in end zone (safety)
GBay - Zendejas 36 FG
Minn - Rice 3 run (C. Nelson kick)
GBay - Zendejas 45 FG
GBay - Harris 10 return of blocked punt (Zendejas kick)

TEAM STATISTICS	GBay	Minn
First downs	22	20
Rushes – yards	45-125	15-67
Passing yards	230	257
Return yards	36	22
Passes	32-19-1	38-20-1
Sacks by	2-13	3-28
Punts	4-42.5	5-31.6
Fumbles – lost	3-1	5-4
Penalties – yards	5-50	15-129
Time of Possession	37:50	22:10

Rushing Leaders

GBay, Woodside 18-54, Fullwood 6-41, Majkowski 11-29
Minnesota, D. Nelson 7-36, Anderson 3-15, Fenney 4-13

Passing Leaders

GBay, Majkowski 32-19-243
Minnesota, Wilson 26-17-248, Kramer 12-3-37

Receiving Leaders

GBay, Stanley 5-101, Epps 6-56, Woodside 2-41, Carruth 3-38
Minnesota, Jones 4-66, Lewis 2-58, Anderson 4-55

Vikings 49, Buccaneers 20
at Tampa Stadium
Oct. 23

A – 48,020

Tampa Bay	10	0	3	7	-20
Minnesota	7	21	7	14	-49

TBay - Igwebuike 18 FG
Minn - Jordan 4 pass from Wilson (C. Nelson kick)
TBay - Hill 8 pass from Testaverde (Igwebuike kick)
Minn - Fenney 1 run (C. Nelson kick)
Minn - Carter 26 pass from Wilson (C. Nelson kick)
Minn - Jordan 4 pass from Wilson (C. Nelson kick)
TBay - Igwebuike 32 FG
Minn - Edwards 37 interception return (C. Nelson kick)
Minn - Rice 4 run (C. Nelson kick)
TBay - Tate 1 run (Igwebuike kick)
Minn - Dozier 2 run (C. Nelson kick)

TEAM STATISTICS	TBay	Minn
First downs	18	23
Rushes – yards	16-28	42-128
Passing yards	215	305
Return yards	66	118
Passes	45-19-6	30-22-0
Sacks by	1-8	4-30
Punts	3-40	5-40.8
Fumbles – lost	1-1	1-1
Penalties – yards	3-25	9-111
Time of Possession	22:09	37:51

Rushing Leaders

TBay, Howard 5-18, D. Smith 6-9
Minnesota, Fenney 7-37, Dozier 10-34, Wilson 5-23

Passing Leaders

TBay, Testaverde 45-19-223
Minnesota, Wilson 30-22-335

Receiving Leaders

TBay, Hill 6-84, Carrier 5-61, G. Taylor 3-37
Minnesota, Carter 6-123, Jordan 6-79, Jones 4-77,

49ers 24, Vikings 21
at Candlestick Park, Oct. 30

A – 60,738

San Francisco	0	3	14	7	-24
Minnesota	0	7	7	7	-21

Minn - Wilson 2 run (C. Nelson kick)
SF - Cofer 30 FG
SF - Craig 1 run (Cofer kick)
Minn - Carter 67 pass from Wilson (C. Nelson kick)
SF - Taylor 73 pass from Young (Cofer kick)
Minn - Fenney 12 run (C. Nelson kick)
SF - Young 49 run (Cofer kick)

TEAM STATISTICS	SF	Minn
First downs	16	15
Rushes – yards	28-130	31-92
Passing yards	209	229
Return yards	48	44
Passes	25-14-0	30-18-2
Sacks by	4-23	2-14
Punts	7-43.6	6-42.2
Fumbles – lost	3-2	1-1
Penalties – yards	6-61	7-33
Time of Possession	29:11	30:49

Rushing Leaders

SF, Young 7-72, Craig 19-56
Minnesota, Fenney 6-35, D. Nelson 8-23, Dozier 5-21

Passing Leaders

SF, Young 25-14-232
Minnesota, Wilson 30-18-243

Receiving Leaders

SF, Taylor 2-88, Craig 3-37, Wilson 3-31
Minnesota, Jones 6-81, Carter 2-81, Gustafson 2-22

Vikings 44, Lions 17
at HHH Metrodome, Nov. 6

A – 55,573

Detroit	0	10	7	0	-17
Minnesota	7	6	10	21	-44

Minn - Rice 3 run (C. Nelson kick)
Minn - Anderson 1 run (C. Nelson kick failed)
Det - Murray 48 FG
Det - Jamison 42 int. ret. (Murray kick)
Minn - Jordan 16 pass from Wilson (C. Nelson kick)
Det - Manley 8 pass from Hilger (Murray kick)
Minn - C. Nelson 18 FG
Minn - Fenney 20 run (C. Nelson kick)
Minn - Gustafson 10 pass from Wilson (C. Nelson kick)
Minn - Rice 3 run (C. Nelson kick)

TEAM STATISTICS	Det	Minn
First downs	8	33
Rushes – yards	15-68	39-198
Passing yards	21	355
Return yards	245	125
Passes	22-8-1	35-28-1
Sacks by	4-42	5-36
Punts	6-44.5	2-44.5
Fumbles – lost	2-1	0-0
Penalties – yards	6-68	8-96
Time of Possession	18:51	41:09

Rushing Leaders

Det, James 8-28, Jones 5-27
Minnesota, Fenney 6-48, Harris 9-39, Anderson 6-34

Passing Leaders

Det, Hilger 22-8-63
Minnesota, Wilson 35-28-391

Receiving Leaders

Det, Manley 3-33, James 2-9
Minnesota, Carter 8-188, Jordan 8-88, Jones 4-59

Vikings 43, Cowboys 3
at Texas Stadium Nov. 13

A – 57,830

Dallas	0	3	0	0	-3
Minnesota	17	0	17	9	-43

Minn - Jones 26 pass from Wilson (C. Nelson kick)
Minn - Thomas 2 fumble return (C. Nelson kick)
Minn - C. Nelson 39 FG
Dal - Ruzek 50 FG
Minn - Jones 64 pass from Wilson (C. Nelson kick)
Minn - C. Nelson 27 FG
Minn - Jordan 3 pass from Wilson (C. Nelson kick)
Minn - Dozier 19 run (C. Nelson kick)
Minn - Sweeney tackled in endzone by Doleman/Baker

TEAM STATISTICS	Dal	Minn
First downs	12	18
Rushes – yards	28-102	29-103
Passing yards	58	222
Return yards	217	130
Passes	28-10-4	30-13-1
Sacks by	5-36	5-38
Punts	6-41.6	7-40.8
Fumbles – lost	4-3	2-0
Penalties – yards	15-131	9-82
Time of Possession	31:45	28:15

Rushing Leaders

Dal, Walker 21-86, Sweeney 4-10
Minnesota, Anderson 4-34, Wilson 6-20, Fenney 5-19

Passing Leaders

Dal, Sweeney 28-10-93
Minnesota, Wilson 27-12-240, Kramer 3-1-11

Receiving Leaders

Dal, Irvin 2-42, Martin 2-25
Minnesota, Jones 3-132, Carter 6-89

Vikings 12, Colts 3
at HHH Metrodome, Nov. 20

A – 58,342

Indianapolis	0	0	0	3	-3
Minnesota	0	6	3	3	-12

Minn - C. Nelson 25 FG
Minn - C. Nelson 26 FG
Minn - C. Nelson 30 FG
Ind - Biasucci 42 FG
Minn - C. Nelson 49 FG

TEAM STATISTICS	Ind	Minn
First downs	17	13
Rushes – yards	27-103	28-83
Passing yards	110	192
Return yards	37	59
Passes	27-13-2	29-17-0
Sacks by	3-29	0-0
Punts	6-41.7	5-45.8
Fumbles – lost	2-0	0-0
Penalties – yards	5-30	6-76
Time of Possession	31:56	28:04

Rushing Leaders

Ind, Dickerson 22-72, Verdin 2-26
Minnesota, Fenney 4-37, Anderson 6-25, D. Nelson 11-16

Passing Leaders

Ind, Chandler 14-5-45, Hogeboom 13-8-94
Minnesota, Wilson 29-17-192

Receiving Leaders

Ind, Brooks 3-46, Dickerson 3-36, Bentley 2-17
Minnesota, Carter 5-51, Fenney 2-48, Jordan 4-39

Vikings 23, Lions 0
at Silverdome
Nov. 24 — A – 46,379

Detroit	0	0	0	0	-0
Minnesota	0	20	3	0	-23

Minn - Anderson 2 run (C. Nelson kick)
Minn - C. Nelson 21 FG
Minn - Anderson 1 run (C. Nelson kick)
Minn - C. Nelson 33 FG
Minn - C. Nelson 18 FG

TEAM STATISTICS	Det	Minn
First downs	3	24
Rushes – yards	11-18	51-181
Passing yards	42	172
Return yards	35	75
Passes	20-6-2	21-16-0
Sacks by	2-6	2-14
Punts	8-46.5	5-37.4
Fumbles – lost	2-0	1-0
Penalties – yards	4-51	3-25
Time of Possession	15:03	44:57

Rushing Leaders
Det, James 4-8, Hilger 1-6
Minnesota, Rice 13-59, Anderson 19-53, D. Nelson 10-23, Harris 4-21

Passing Leaders
Det, Hilger 14-4-43, Long 6-2-5
Minnesota, Wilson 21-16-186

Receiving Leaders
Det, Chadwick 2-30, Bland 1-11
Minnesota, Carter 7-84, Jones 5-68, Gustafson 1-20

Packers 18, Vikings 6
at Lambeau Field
Dec. 11 — A – 48,892

Green Bay	7	3	6	2	-18
Minnesota	0	3	0	3	-6

GBay - Woodside 2 run (Dorsey kick)
Minn - C. Nelson 38 FG
GBay - Dorsey 20 FG
GBay - Scott 11 pass from Majkowski (Dorsey kick)
Minn - C. Nelson 37 FG
GBay - Harris tackled Wilson in end zone (safety)

TEAM STATISTICS	GBay	Minn
First downs	19	15
Rushes – yards	37-97	19-44
Passing yards	201	211
Return yards	42	27
Passes	30-16-3	41-20-1
Sacks by	1-8	3-22
Punts	5-36.6	5-34.4
Fumbles – lost	2-1	3-1
Penalties – yards	4-30	3-25
Time of Possession	35:41	24:19

Rushing Leaders
GBay, Mason 15-65, Majkowski 7-15
Minnesota, D. Nelson 5-13, Anderson 4-13

Passing Leaders
GBay, Wright 20-11-124, Majkowski 10-5-85
Minnesota, Wilson 41-20-233

Receiving Leaders
GBay, Kemp 6-108, Sharpe 4-48, Matthews 2-25
Minnesota, Jordan 7-80, Jones 2-38, Dozier 3-34, Carter 2-34

Vikings 45, Saints 3
at HHH Metrodome
Dec. 4 — A – 61,215

New Orleans	0	0	3	0	-3
Minnesota	10	21	14	0	-45

Minn - Anderson 1 run (C. Nelson kick)
Minn - C. Nelson 37 FG
Minn - Hilton 1 pass from Wilson (C. Nelson kick)
Minn - Jones 15 pass from Wilson (C. Nelson kick)
Minn - Lee 58 int. return (C. Nelson kick)
Minn - Solomon 78 int. return (C. Nelson kick)
NOrl - Anderson 36 FG
Minn - Jones 68 pass from Wilson (C. Nelson kick)

TEAM STATISTICS	NOrl	Minn
First downs	13	20
Rushes – yards	29-126	38-209
Passing yards	107	217
Return yards	26	158
Passes	37-10-2	24-15-1
Sacks by	1-3	1-6
Punts	9-41.0	5-44.6
Fumbles – lost	3-1	2-0
Penalties – yards	2-10	5-40
Time of Possession	25:56	34:04

Rushing Leaders
NOrl, Mayes 16-46, Hilliard 6-44, Hebert 2-18
Minnesota, D. Nelson 14-60, Harris 4-46, Dozier 7-36

Passing Leaders
NOrl, Hebert 20-5-37, Wilson 16-5-73
Minnesota, Wilson 22-13-215, Kramer 2-2-8

Receiving Leaders
NOrl, Hill 2-30, Martin 2-19, Brenner 1-24, Perriman, 2-22
Minnesota, Jones 3-89, Carter 4-59, Jordan 2-44

Vikings 28, Bears 27
at HHH Metrodome
Dec. 19 — A – 62,067

Chicago	0	3	14	10	-27
Minnesota	7	14	0	7	-28

Minn - Jordan 3 pass from Wilson (C. Nelson kick)
Minn - Anderson 1 run (C. Nelson kick)
Minn - Anderson 18 pass from Wilson (C. Nelson kick)
Chi - Butler 20 FG
Chi - McKinnon 76 pass from Tomczak (Butler kick)
Chi - Anderson 51 run (Butler kick)
Chi - Butler 45 FG
Minn - Ashley 94 int. ret. (C. Nelson kick)
Chi - Gentry 1 pass from Tomczak (Butler kick)

TEAM STATISTICS	Chi	Minn
First downs	21	17
Rushes – yards	38-185	21-62
Passing yards	280	156
Return yards	9	192
Passes	32-16-1	36-16-2
Sacks by	1-5	4-21
Punts	7-47.4	8-39.0
Fumbles – lost	3-2	0-0
Penalties – yards	8-70	8-60
Time of Possession	35:20	24:40

Rushing Leaders
Chi, Anderson 22-122, Muster 6-38
Minnesota, Anderson 5-22, Rice 5-18, Wilson 3-13

Passing Leaders
Chi, Tomczak 32-16-285
Minnesota, Wilson 28-15-164, Kramer 7-1-13

Receiving Leaders
Chi, McKinnon 4-106, Gentry 3-53, Muster 2-43
Minnesota, Jones 3-54, Carter 4-41, Anderson 2-31

NFC WILD CARD
Vikings 28, Rams 17
at HHH Metrodome,
Dec. 26 — A – 57,666

Los Angeles	0	7	3	7	-17
Minnesota	14	0	7	7	-28

Minn - Anderson 7 run (C. Nelson kick)
Minn - Rice 17 run (C. Nelson kick)
LA - Johnson 3 pass from Everett (Lansford kick)
Minn - Anderson 1 run (C. Nelson kick)
LA - Lansford 43 FG
Minn - Hilton 5 pass from Wilson (C. Nelson kick)
LA - Holohan 11 pass from Everett (Lansford kick)

TEAM STATISTICS	LA	Minn
First downs	19	20
Rushes – yards	24-107	33-103
Passing yards	235	207
Return yards	60	55
Passes	45-19-3	28-17-0
Sacks by	1-12	5-46
Punts	5-48.2	7-41.6
Fumbles – lost	0-0	1-0
Penalties – yards	10-54	6-40
Time of Possession	26:06	33:54

Rushing Leaders
LA, Bell 17-91, Everett 2-8, Delpino, 3-4
Minnesota, Rice 17-79, Anderson 6-9, D. Nelson 3-9

Passing Leaders
LA, Everett 45-19-247
Minnesota, Wilson 28-17-253

Receiving Leaders
LA, Ellard 4-54, Holohan 3-44, McGee 4-34, Delpino 2-33
Minnesota, Carter 4-102, Gustafson 2-52, Jones 2-28

NFC DIVISIONAL
49ers 34, Vikings 9
at Candlestick Park
Jan. 1 — A – 61,848

San Francisco	7	14	0	13	-34
Minnesota	3	0	6	0	-9

Minn - C. Nelson 47 FG
SF - Rice 2 pass from Montana (Cofer kick)
SF - Rice 4 pass from Montana (Cofer kick)
SF - Rice 11 pass from Montana (Cofer kick)
Minn - Jones 5 pass from Wilson (kick failed)
SF - Craig 4 run (Cofer kick)
SF - Craig 80 run (kick failed)

TEAM STATISTICS	SF	Minn
First downs	20	20
Rushes – yards	34-201	19-54
Passing yards	171	208
Return yards	37	27
Passes	28-17-1	47-23-2
Sacks by	1-6	6-47
Punts	5-36.2	7-39.3
Fumbles – lost	2-1	1-1
Penalties – yards	6-60	9-90
Time of Possession	31:47	28:13

Rushing Leaders
SF, Craig 21-135, Rathman 3-29, Rice 1-21
Minnesota, Rice 5-20, Fenney 6-20

Passing Leaders
SF, Montana 27-16-178, Young 1-1-1
Minnesota, Wilson 47-23-255

Receiving Leaders
SF, Rice 5-61, Taylor 3-42, Craig 3-26, Rathman 2-20
Minnesota, Jones 7-71, Carter 3-45, Jordan 3-44

VIKING PLAYOFF RESULTS

(thirteen victories, fourteen losses)

1968–Baltimore 24, Vikings 14 (NFL Western Division); Dallas 17, Vikings 13 (NFL Runnerup)

1969–Vikings 23, Los Angeles 20 (NFL Western Division); Vikings 27, Cleveland 7 (NFL Championship); Kansas City 23, Vikings 7 (Super Bowl IV)

1970–San Francisco 17, Vikings 14 (NFC Divisional)

1971–Dallas 20, Vikings 12 (NFC Divisional)

1973–Vikings 27, Washington 20 (NFC Divisional); Vikings 27, Dallas 10 (NFC Championship); Miami 24, Vikings 7 (Super Bowl VIII)

1974–Vikings 30, St. Louis 14 (NFC Divisional); Vikings 14, Los Angeles 10 (NFC Championship); Pittsburgh 16, Vikings 6 (Super Bowl IX)

1975–Dallas 17, Vikings 14 (NFC Divisional)

1976–Vikings 35, Washington 20 (NFC Divisional); Vikings 24, Los Angeles 13 (NFC Championship); Oakland 32, Vikings 14 (Super Bowl XI)

1977–Vikings 14, Los Angeles 7 (NFC Divisional); Dallas 23, Vikings 6 (NFC Championship)

1978–Los Angeles 34, Vikings 10 (NFC Divisional)

1980–Philadelphia 31, Vikings 16 (NFC Divisional)

1982–Vikings 30, Atlanta 24 (First Round); Washington 21, Vikings 7 (Second Round)

1987–Vikings 44, New Orleans 10 (NFC Wild Card); Vikings 36, San Francisco 24 (NFC Divisional); Washington 17, Vikings 10 (NFC Championship)

1988–Vikings 28, L.A. Rams 17 (NFC Wild Card); San Francisco 34, Vikings 9 (NFC Divisional)

VIKING RESULTS, YEAR-BY-YEAR

1961 — Coach: Norm Van Brocklin

Pre-Season (0-5)

Aug. 5	Dallas at Sioux Falls (4,954)	13-38 (L)
Aug. 18	at Baltimore (10,203)	3-13 (L)
Aug. 26	San Fran. at Portland (27,044)	10-14 (L)
Sept. 2	Chicago at Cedar Rapids (12,500	7-30 (L)
Sept. 10	Los Angeles at Met (27,982)	17-21 (L)

Regular Season (3-11)

Finish: Seventh in Western Conference

Sept. 17	Chicago (32,236)	37-13 (W)
Sept. 24	at Dallas (12,992)	7-21 (L)
Oct. 1	at Baltimore (54,259)	33-34 (L)
Oct. 8	Dallas (33,070)	0-28 (L)
Oct. 15	San Francisco (34,415)	24-38 (L)
Oct. 22	Green Bay (42,007)	7-33 (L)
Oct. 29	at Green Bay (Milw.) (44,112)	10-28 (L)
Nov. 5	at Los Angeles (38,594)	17-31 (L)
Nov. 12	Baltimore (38,010)	28-20 (W)
Nov. 19	Detroit (32,296)	10-37 (L)
Nov. 26	at San Francisco (43,905)	28-38 (L)
Dec. 3	Los Angeles (30,068)	42-21 (W)
Dec. 10	at Detroit (42,655)	7-13 (L)
Dec. 17	at Chicago (34,539)	35-52 (L)

Points - 285 **Opponents - 407**

1962 — Coach: Norm Van Brocklin

Pre-Season (2-3)

Aug. 11	San Francisco at Seattle (22,500)	24-30 (L)
Aug. 18	Los Angeles at Portland (23,544)	24-33 (L)
Aug. 25	St. Louis at Mpls.-Parade (15,500)	21-24 (L)
Sept. 2	Baltimore at Met (29,544)	24-13 (W)
Sept. 8	Dallas at Atlanta (12,500)	45-26 (W)

Regular Season (2-11-1)

Finish: Sixth in Western Conference

Sept. 16	at Green Bay (38,669)	7-34 (L)
Sept. 23	Baltimore (30,787)	7-34 (L)
Sept. 30	at San Francisco (38,407)	7-21 (L)
Oct. 7	Chicago (33,141)	0-13 (L)
Oct. 14	Green Bay (41,475)	21-48 (L)
Oct. 21	at Los Angeles (33,071)	38-14 (W)
Oct. 28	Philadelphia (30,071)	31-21 (W)
Nov. 4	at Pittsburgh (14,642)	31-39 (L)
Nov. 11	at Chicago (46,984)	30-31 (L)
Nov. 18	Detroit (31,257)	6-17 (L)
Nov. 25	Los Angeles (26,728)	24-24 (T)
Dec. 2	San Francisco (33,076)	12-35 (L)
Dec. 9	at Detroit (42,256)	23-37 (L)
Dec. 16	at Baltimore (53,645)	14-42 (L)

Points - 254 **Opponents - 410**

1963 — Coach: Norm Van Brocklin

Pre-Season (4-1)

Aug. 10	San Fran. at Portland (20,837)	43-28 (W)
Aug. 17	at Los Angeles (42,966)	27-3 (W)
Aug. 25	New York at Met (29,815)	17-16 (W)
Aug. 31	Philadelphia at Hershey (15,861)	27-34 (L)
Sept. 6	at St. Louis (30,842)	35-0 (W)

Regular Season (5-8-1)

Finish: Tied-Fourth in Western Conference

Sept. 15	at San Francisco (30,781)	24-20 (W)
Sept. 22	Chicago (33,923)	7-28 (L)
Sept. 29	San Francisco (28,567)	45-14 (W)
Oct. 6	St. Louis (30,220)	14-56 (L)
Oct. 13	Green Bay (42,567)	28-37 (L)
Oct. 20	at Los Angeles (30,555)	24-27 (L)
Oct. 27	at Detroit (44,509)	10-28 (L)
Nov. 3	Los Angeles (33,567)	21-13 (W)
Nov. 10	at Green Bay (42,327)	7-28 (L)
Nov. 17	Baltimore (33,136)	34-37 (L)
Nov. 24	Detroit (28,763)	34-31 (W)
Dec. 1	at Chicago (47,249)	17-17 (T)
Dec. 8	at Baltimore (54,122)	10-41 (L)
Dec. 15	at Philadelphia (54,403)	34-13 (W)

Points - 309 **Opponents - 390**

1964 — Coach: Norm Van Brocklin

Pre-Season (5-0)

Aug. 8	New York at Met (31,581)	21-7 (W)
Aug. 15	St. Louis at Atlanta (9,500)	24-10 (W)
Aug. 22	San Fran. at Salt Lake (20,207)	24-21 (W)
Aug. 29	at Los Angeles (39,938)	34-23 (W)
Sept. 5	Philadelphia at Hershey (9,212)	21-20 (W)

Regular Season (8-5-1)

Finish: Tied-Second in Western Conference

Sept. 13	Baltimore (35,563)	34-24 (W)
Sept. 20	Chicago (41,387)	28-34 (L)
Sept. 27	at Los Angeles (50,009)	13-22 (L)
Oct. 4	at Green Bay (42,327)	24-23 (W)
Oct. 11	Detroit (40,840)	20-24 (L)
Oct. 18	Pittsburgh (39,873)	30-10 (W)
Oct. 25	at San Francisco (31,845)	27-22 (W)
Nov. 1	Green Bay (44,278)	13-42 (L)
Nov. 8	San Francisco (40,408)	24-7 (W)
Nov. 15	at Baltimore (60,213)	14-17 (L)
Nov. 22	at Detroit (48,291)	23-23 (T)
Nov. 29	Los Angeles (31,677)	34-13 (W)
Dec. 6	at New York (62,802)	30-21 (W)
Dec. 13	at Chicago (46,486)	41-14 (W)

Points - 355 **Opponents - 296**

KEY — * Division Playoff # NFC Championship & Super Bowl (except where noted) $ NFC Wild Card Game

1965 — Coach: Norm Van Brocklin

Pre-Season (5-0)

Aug. 14	Pittsburgh at Atlanta (39,240)	31-21 (W)
Aug. 20	Philadelphia at Met (43,125)	35-21 (W)
Aug. 28	Washington at Charl. (20,426)	20-16 (W)
Sept. 3	Dallas at Birmingham (41,500)	57-17 (W)
Sept. 11	New York at Omaha (14,250)	24-9 (W)

Regular Season (7-7)

Finish: Tied-Fifth in Western Conference

Sept. 19	at Baltimore (56,562)	16-35 (L)
Sept. 26	Detroit (46,826)	29-31 (L)
Oct. 3	at Los Angeles (36,755)	38-35 (W)
Oct. 9	New York (44,283)	40-14 (W)
Oct. 17	Chicago (47,426)	37-45 (L)
Oct. 24	at San Francisco (42,680)	42-41 (W)
Oct. 31	at Cleveland (83,505)	27-17 (W)
Nov. 7	Los Angeles (47,426)	24-13 (W)
Nov. 14	Baltimore (47,426)	21-41 (L)
Nov. 21	Green Bay (47,426)	13-38 (L)
Nov. 28	San Francisco (40,306)	24-45 (L)
Dec. 5	at Green Bay (40,852)	19-24 (L)
Dec. 12	at Detroit (45,420)	29-7 (W)
Dec. 19	at Chicago (46,604)	24-17 (W)

Points - 383 **Opponents - 403**

1966 — Coach: Norm Van Brocklin

Pre-Season (3-1-1)

Aug. 6	Detroit at New Orleans (38,500)	6-6 (T)
Aug. 13	Pittsburgh at Portland (21,228)	35-6 (W)
Aug. 20	Los Angeles at Met (40,270)	24-10 (W)
Aug. 26	Washington at Cleve. (83,414)	30-27 (W)
Sept. 2	at Dallas (58,316)	24-28 (L)

Regular Season (4-9-1)

Finish: Tied-Sixth in Western Conference

Sept. 11	at San Francisco (29,312)	20-20 (T)
Sept. 18	Baltimore (47,426)	23-38 (L)
Sept. 25	at Dallas (64,116)	17-28 (L)
Oct. 2	Chicago (47,426)	10-13 (L)
Oct. 16	Los Angeles (47,426)	35-7 (W)
Oct. 23	at Baltimore (60,238)	17-20 (L)
Oct. 30	San Francisco (45,077)	28-3 (W)
Nov. 6	at Green Bay (50,861)	20-17 (W)
Nov. 13	Detroit (43,939)	31-32 (L)
Nov. 20	at Los Angeles (38,775)	6-21 (L)
Nov. 27	Green Bay (47,426)	16-28 (L)
Dec. 4	Atlanta (37,117)	13-20 (L)
Dec. 11	at Detroit (43,022)	28-16 (W)
Dec. 18	at Chicago (45,191)	28-41 (L)

Points - 292 **Opponents - 304**

1967 — Coach: Bud Grant

Pre-Season (2-3)

Aug. 12	Philadelphia at Tulsa (24,500)	34-0 (W)
Aug. 18	at Denver (31,850)	9-14 (L)
Aug. 27	New York at New Haven (43,584)	3-21 (L)
Sept. 2	Atlanta at Cleveland (84,236)	16-3 (W)
Sept. 10	Cleveland at Met (40,012)	14-42 (L)

Regular Season (3-8-3)

Finish: Fourth in NFC Central

Sept. 17	San Francisco (39,638)	21-27 (L)
Sept. 22	at Los Angeles (52,255)	3-39 (L)
Oct. 1	Chicago (44,868)	7-17 (L)
Oct. 8	St. Louis (40,017)	24-34 (L)
Oct. 15	at Green Bay (Milw.) (49,601)	10-7 (W)
Oct. 22	Baltimore (47,693)	20-20 (T)
Oct. 29	at Atlanta (52,859)	20-21 (L)
Nov. 5	New York (44,960)	27-24 (W)
Nov. 12	Detroit (40,032)	10-10 (T)
Nov. 19	at Cleveland (68,431)	10-14 (L)
Nov. 26	at Pittsburgh (23,773)	41-27 (W)
Dec. 3	Green Bay (47,693)	27-30 (L)
Dec. 10	at Chicago (40,110)	10-10 (T)
Dec. 17	at Detroit (44,874)	3-14 (L)

Points - 233 **Opponents - 294**

1968 — Coach: Bud Grant

Pre-Season (3-2)

Aug. 10	Kansas City at Met (45,228)	10-13 (L)
Aug. 17	at Denver (20,901)	39-16 (W)
Aug. 24	Philadelphia at Met (41,229)	52-10 (W)
Sept. 1	at St. Louis (25,233)	28-31 (L)
Sept. 6	New Orleans at Shreve. (23,000)	20-17 (W)

Regular Season (8-6)

Finish: NFC Central Champion

Sept. 14	Atlanta (45,563)	47-7 (W)
Sept. 22	at Green Bay (Milw.) (49,346)	26-13 (W)
Sept. 29	Chicago (47,644)	17-27 (L)
Oct. 6	Detroit (44,289)	24-10 (W)
Oct. 13	at New Orleans (71,105)	17-20 (L)
Oct. 20	Dallas (47,644)	7-20 (L)
Oct. 27	at Chicago (46,562)	24-26 (L)
Nov. 3	Washington (47,644)	27-14 (W)
Nov. 10	Green Bay (47,644)	14-10 (W)
Nov. 17	at Detroit (48,654)	13-6 (W)
Nov. 24	at Baltimore (60,238)	9-21 (L)
Dec. 1	Los Angeles (47,644)	3-31 (L)
Dec. 8	at San Francisco (29,049)	30-20 (W)
Dec. 15	at Philadelphia (54,530)	24-17 (W)

Points - 282 **Opponents - 242**

Post-Season (0-2)

Dec. 22	at Baltimore (60,238)	14-24 (L)*
Jan. 5	Dallas at Miami (22,961)	13-17 (L)#

* Western Division Playoff # NFL Runnerup

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1969 — Coach: Bud Grant

Pre-Season (5-1)

Aug. 2	Miami at Tampa (37,219)	45-10 (W)
Aug. 9	Denver at Met (45,916)	26-6 (W)
Aug. 23	St. Louis at Memphis (34,417)	41-13 (W)
Aug. 30	N.Y. Jets at Win.-Salem (31,500)	21-24 (L)
Sept. 6	N.Y. Giants at Met (47,900)	28-27 (W)
Sept. 13	Cleveland at Akron (28,561)	23-16 (W)

Regular Season (12-2)

Finish: NFC Champion

Sept. 21	at New York Giants (62,900)	23-24 (L)
Sept. 28	Baltimore (47,900)	52-14 (W)
Oct. 5	Green Bay (60,740)	19-7 (W)
Oct. 12	at Chicago (45,757)	31-0 (W)
Oct. 19	at St. Louis (49,430)	27-10 (W)
Oct. 26	Detroit (47,900)	24-10 (W)
Nov. 2	Chicago (47,900)	31-14 (W)
Nov. 9	Cleveland (47,900)	51-3 (W)
Nov. 16	at Green Bay (Milw.) (48,321)	9-7 (W)
Nov. 23	Pittsburgh (47,202)	52-14 (W)
Nov. 27	at Detroit (57,906)	27-0 (W)
Dec. 7	at Los Angeles (80,430)	20-13 (W)
Dec. 14	San Francisco (43,028)	10-7 (W)
Dec. 21	at Atlanta (52,872)	3-10 (L)

Points - 379 **Opponents - 133**

Post-Season (2-1)

Dec. 27	Los Angeles at Met (47,900)	23-20 (W)*
Jan. 4	Cleveland at Met (47,900)	27-7 (W)#
Jan. 11	Kans. City at Tulane (80,562)	7-23 (L)&

1970 — Coach: Bud Grant

Pre-Season (4-2)

Aug. 8	New Orleans at Canton (17,932)	13-14 (L)
Aug. 15	Pittsburgh at Met (45,591)	13-20 (L)
Aug. 22	at Houston (44,563)	14-7 (W)
Aug. 30	N.Y. Jets at Met (47,900)	52-21 (W)
Sept. 5	at Cleveland (83,043)	24-21 (W)
Sept. 11	at Chicago (46,630)	31-30 (W)

Regular Season (12-2)

Finish: NFC Central Champion

Sept. 20	Kansas City (47,900)	27-10 (W)
Sept. 27	New Orleans (47,900)	26-0 (W)
Oct. 4	at Green Bay (Milw.) (47,967)	10-13 (L)
Oct. 11	at Chicasgo (45,485)	24-0 (W)
Oct. 18	Dallas (47,900)	54-13 (W)
Oct. 26	Los Angeles (47,900)	13-3 (W)
Nov. 1	at Detroit (58,210)	30-17 (W)
Nov. 8	at Washington (50,415)	19-10 (W)
Nov. 15	Detroit (47,900)	24-20 (W)
Nov. 22	Green Bay (47,900)	10-3 (W)
Nov. 29	at New York Jets (62,333)	10-20 (L)
Dec. 5	Chicago (47,900)	16-13 (W)
Dec. 13	at Boston (37,819)	35-14 (W)
Dec. 20	at Atlanta (57,992)	37-7 (W)*

Points - 335 **Opponents - 143**

Post-Season (0-1)

Dec. 27	San Francisco at Met (46,050)	14-17 (L)*

1971 — Coach: Bud Grant

Pre-Season (5-1)

Aug. 8	New England at U of M (31,813)	17-10 (L)
Aug. 14	at San Diego (49,267)	34-7 (W)
Aug. 21	Chicago at Met (47,900)	34-14 (W)
Aug. 28	at Pittsburgh (46,276)	26-21 (W)
Sept. 4	at Denver (43,000)	7-14 (L)
Sept. 11	Miami at Met (47,900)	24-0 (W)

Regular Season (11-3)

Finish: NFC Central Champion

Sept. 20	at Detroit (54,418)	16-13 (W)
Sept. 26	Chicago (47,900)	17-20 (L)
Oct. 3	Buffalo (47,900)	19-0 (W)
Oct. 10	at Philadelphia (65,258)	13-0 (W)
Oct. 17	at Green Bay (56,263)	24-13 (W)
Oct. 25	Baltimore (49,784)	10-3 (W)
Oct. 31	at New York Giants (62,829)	17-10 (W)
Nov. 7	San Francisco (49,784)	9-13 (L)
Nov. 14	Green Bay (49,784)	3-0 (W)
Nov. 21	at New Orleans (83,130)	23-10 (W)
Nov. 28	Atlanta (49,784)	24-7 (W)
Dec. 5	at San Diego (54,505)	14-30 (L)
Dec. 11	Detroit (49,784)	29-10 (W)
Dec. 19	at Chicago (55,049)	27-10 (W)

Points - 245 **Opponents - 139**

Post-Season (0-1)

Dec. 25	Dallas at Met (49,100)	12-20 (L)*

1972 — Coach: Bud Grant

Pre-Season (3-2)

Aug. 12	San Diego at Met (47,900)	24-13 (W)
Aug. 18	at Buffalo (41,006)	10-21 (L)
Aug. 26	at Cleveland (70,583)	20-17 (W)
Sept. 4	Houston at Met (47,900)	26-14 (W)
Sept. 10	at Miami (74,298)	19-21 (L)

Regular Season (7-7)

Finish: Third in NFC Central

Sept. 18	Washington (47,900)	21-24 (L)
Sept. 24	at Detroit (54,418)	34-10 (W)
Oct. 1	Miami (47,900)	14-16 (L)
Oct. 8	St. Louis (49,784)	17-19 (L)
Oct. 15	Denver (51,656)	23-20 (W)
Oct. 23	at Chicago (55,701)	10-13 (L)
Oct. 29	at Green Bay (56,263)	27-13 (W)
Nov. 5	New Orleans (49,784)	37-6 (W)
Nov. 12	Detroit (49,784)	16-14 (W)
Nov. 19	at Los Angeles (77,982)	45-41 (W)
Nov. 26	at Pittsburgh (50,348)	10-23 (L)
Dec. 3	Chicago (49,784)	23-10 (W)
Dec. 10	Green Bay (49,784)	7-23 (L)
Dec. 16	at San Francisco (61,214)	17-20 (L)

Points - 301 **Opponents - 252**

1973 — Coach: Bud Grant

Pre-Season (5-0)

Aug. 11	Pittsburgh at Met (46,619)	10-6 (W)
Aug. 18	at Kansas City (72,676)	13-10 (W)
Aug. 25	at Oakland (57,515)	34-10 (W)
Aug. 31	Miami at Met (46,619)	20-17 (W)
Sept. 8	at San Diego (42,007)	24-16 (W)

Regular Season (12-2)

Finish: NFC Champion

Sept. 16	Oakland (46,619)	24-16 (W)
Sept. 23	at Chicago (55,701)	22-13 (W)
Sept. 30	Green Bay (48,503)	11-3 (W)
Oct. 7	at Detroit (54,418)	23-9 (W)
Oct. 14	at San Francisco (59,359)	17-13 (W)
Oct. 21	Philadelphia (48,503)	28-21 (W)
Oct. 28	Los Angeles (48,503)	10-9 (W)
Nov. 4	Cleveland (48,503)	26-3 (W)
Nov. 11	Detroit (48,503)	28-7 (W)
Nov. 19	at Atlanta (50,850)	14-20 (L)
Nov. 25	Chicago (48,503)	31-13 (W)
Dec. 2	at Cincinnati (59,580)	0-27 (L)
Dec. 8	at Green Bay (56,267)	31-7 (W)
Dec. 16	at New York Giants (New Haven) (70,041)	31-7 (W)

Points - 296 **Opponents - 168**

Post-Season (2-1)

Dec. 22	Washington at Met (46,409)	27-20 (W)*
Dec. 30	at Dallas	27-10 (W)#
Jan. 13	Miami at Houston (68,142)	7-24 (L)&

1974 — Coach: Bud Grant

Pre-Season (3-2)

Aug. 10	at Denver (23,822)	21-27 (L)
Aug. 19	at Miami (67,963)	9-21 (L)
Aug. 25	Buffalo at Met (46,553)	32-13 (W)
Aug. 31	at St. Louis (42,544)	14-10 (W)
Sept. 7	San Diego at Met (46,553)	42-0 (W)

Regular Season (10-4)

Finish: NFC Champion

Sept. 15	at Green Bay (56,312)	32-17 (W)
Sept. 22	at Detroit (49,703)	7-6 (W)
Sept. 29	Chicago (46,619)	11-7 (W)
Oct. 6	at Dallas (60,817)	23-21 (W)
Oct. 13	Houston (48,490)	51-10 (W)
Oct. 20	Detroit (48,501)	16-20 (L)
Oct. 27	New England (48,497)	14-17 (L)
Nov. 3	at Chicago (55,753)	17-0 (W)
Nov. 11	at St. Louis (51,392)	28-24 (W)
Nov. 17	Green Bay (48,480)	7-19 (L)
Nov. 24	at Los Angeles (90,266)	17-20 (L)
Dec. 1	New Orleans (48,456)	29-9 (W)
Dec. 7	Atlanta (48,480)	23-10 (W)
Dec. 14	at Kansas City (72,474)	35-15 (W)

Points - 310 **Opponents - 195**

Post-Season (2-1)

Dec. 21	St. Louis at Met (44,626)	30-14 (W)*
Dec. 29	Los Angeles at Met (47,404)	14-10 (W)#
Jan. 12	Pittsb. at New Orleans (80,997)	6-16 (L)&

1975 — Coach: Bud Grant

Pre-Season (2-3-1)

Aug. 9	N.Y. Jets at Phoenix (51,323)	15-20 (L)
Aug. 17	at New England (40,218)	10-36 (L)
Aug. 23	at Dallas (45,395)	16-13 (W)
Sept. 1	Miami at Met (47,653)	20-7 (W)
Sept. 6	St. Louis at Met (46,975)	6-13 (L)
Sept. 13	at San Diego (31,642)	14-14 (T)

Regular Season (12-2)

Finish: NFC Central Champion

Sept. 21	San Francisco (48,418)	27-17 (W)
Sept. 28	at Cleveland (65,419)	42-10 (W)
Oct. 5	Chicago (48,446)	28-3 (W)
Oct. 12	New York Jets (48,444)	29-21 (W)
Oct. 19	Detroit (48,446)	25-19 (W)
Oct. 27	at Chicago (56,302)	13-9 (W)
Nov. 2	at Green Bay (55,279)	28-17 (W)
Nov. 9	Atlanta (48,446)	38-0 (W)
Nov. 16	at New Orleans (60,214)	20-7 (W)
Nov. 23	San Diego (48,443)	28-13 (W)
Nov. 30	at Washington (54,311)	30-31 (L)
Dec. 7	Green Bay (48,446)	24-3 (W)
Dec. 14	at Detroit (78,990)	10-17 (L)
Dec. 20	at Buffalo (73,391)	35-13 (W)

Points - 377 **Opponents - 180**

Post-Season (0-1)

Dec. 28	Dallas at Met (46,425)	14-17 (L)*

1976 — Coach: Bud Grant

Pre-Season (3-3)

July 31	at Miami (39,939)	3-16 (L)
Aug. 7	at Kansas City (32,851)	13-10 (W)
Aug. 16	at Cleveland (44,336)	7-31 (L)
Aug. 22	Cincinnati at Met (43,784)	23-17 (W)
Aug. 28	Philadelphia at Met (46,512)	20-16 (W)
Sept. 5	at Denver (52,129)	17-30 (L)

Regular Season (11-2-1)

Finish: NFC Champion

Sept. 12	at New Orleans (58,156)	40-9 (W)
Sept. 19	Los Angeles (47,310)	OT 10-10 (T)
Sept. 26	at Detroit (77,292)	10-9 (W)
Oct. 4	Pittsburgh (47,809)	17-6 (W)
Oct. 10	Chicago (47,948)	20-19 (W)
Oct. 17	New York Giants (47,156)	24-7 (W)
Oct. 24	at Philadelphia (56,233)	31-12 (W)
Oct. 31	at Chicago (56,602)	13-14 (L)
Nov. 7	Detroit (46,735)	31-23 (W)
Nov. 14	Seattle (45,087)	27-21 (W)
Nov. 21	at Green Bay (53,104)	17-10 (W)
Nov. 29	at San Francisco (56,775)	16-20 (L)
Dec. 5	Green Bay (43,700)	20-9 (W)
Dec. 11	at Miami (46,543)	29-7 (W)

Points - 305 **Opponents - 176**

Post-Season (2-1)

Dec. 18	Washington at Met (47,221)	35-20 (W)*
Dec. 26	Los Angeles at Met (47,191)	24-13 (W)#
Jan. 9	Oakland at Pasadena (103,438)	14-32 (L)&

1977 — Coach: Bud Grant

Pre-Season (4-2)

Aug. 6	at Los Angeles (55,168)	22-17 (W)
Aug. 13	Cleveland at Met (45,370)	34-33 (W)
Aug. 19	at Baltimore (45,529)	7-29 (L)
Aug. 26	Miami at Met (44,396)	33-7 (W)
Sept. 3	at Cincinnati (52,942)	7-26 (L)
Sept. 10	at Buffalo (35,017)	30-6 (W)

Regular Season (9-5)

Finish: NFC Central Champion

Sept. 18	Dallas (47,678)	OT 10-16 (L)
Sept. 24	at Tampa Bay (66,272)	9-3 (W)
Oct. 2	Green Bay (47,143)	19-7 (W)
Oct. 9	Detroit (45,860)	14-7 (W)
Oct. 16	Chicago (47,708)	OT 22-16 (W)
Oct. 24	at Los Angeles (62,414)	3-35 (L)
Oct. 30	at Atlanta (59,257)	14-7 (W)
Nov. 6	St. Louis (47,066)	7-27 (L)
Nov. 13	Cincinnati (47,371)	42-10 (W)
Nov. 20	at Chicago (49,563)	7-10 (L)
Nov. 27	at Green Bay (52,267)	13-6 (W)
Dec. 4	San Francisco (40,745)	28-27 (W)
Dec. 11	at Oakland (52,771)	13-35 (L)
Dec. 17	at Detroit (78,572)	30-21 (W)

Points - 231 **Opponents - 227**

Post-Season (1-1)

Dec. 26	at Los Angeles (62,538)	14-7 (W)*
Jan. 1	at Dallas (61,968)	6-23 (L)#

1978 — Coach: Bud Grant

Pre-Season (2-2)

Aug. 5	Washington at Met (46,212)	20-13 (W)
Aug. 12	at Kansas City (41,092)	13-17 (L)
Aug. 18	at Miami (46,316)	22-30 (L)
Aug. 26	Buffalo at Met (45,062)	30-27 (W)

Regular Season (8-7-1)

Finish: NFC Central Champion

Sept. 3	at New Orleans (54,187)	24-31 (L)
Sept. 11	Denver (46,508)	OT 12-9 (W)
Sept. 17	Tampa Bay (46,152)	10-16 (L)
Sept. 25	at Chicago (53,561)	24-20 (W)
Oct. 1	at Tampa Bay (65,972)	24-7 (W)
Oct. 8	at Seattle (62,031)	28-29 (L)
Oct. 15	Los Angeles (46,551)	17-34 (L)
Oct. 22	Green Bay (47,411)	21-7 (W)
Oct. 26	at Dallas (61,848)	21-10 (W)
Nov. 5	Detroit (46,008)	17-7 (W)
Nov. 12	Chicago (43,286)	17-14 (W)
Nov. 19	San Diego (38,859)	7-13 (L)
Nov. 26	at Green Bay (51,737)	OT 10-10 (T)
Dec. 3	Philadelphia (38,722)	28-27 (W)
Dec. 9	at Detroit (78,685)	14-45 (L)
Dec. 17	at Oakland (44,643)	20-27 (L)

Points - 294 **Opponents - 306**

Post-Season (0-1)

Dec. 31	at Los Angeles (69,631)	10-34 (L)*

1979 — Coach: Bud Grant

Pre-Season (0-4)

Aug. 2	at Seattle (60,881)	9-12 (L)
Aug. 11	at San Diego (49,037)	0-19 (L)
Aug. 18	Miami at Met (45,790)	10-21 (L)
Aug. 23	Kansas City at Met (39,578)	0-25 (L)

Regular Season (7-9)

Finish: Third in NFC Central

Sept. 2	San Francisco (46,539)	28-22 (W)
Sept. 9	at Chicago (53,231)	7-26 (L)
Sept. 16	Miami (46,187)	12-27 (L)
Sept. 23	Green Bay (45,524)	OT 27-21 (W)
Sept. 30	at Detroit (75,295)	13-10 (W)
Oct. 7	Dallas (47,572)	20-36 (L)
Oct. 15	at New York Jets (54,479)	7-14 (L)
Oct. 21	Chicago (41,164)	30-27 (W)
Oct. 28	Tampa Bay (46,906)	10-12 (L)
Nov. 4	at St. Louis (47,213)	7-37 (L)
Nov. 11	at Green Bay (52,706)	7-19 (L)
Nov. 18	Detroit (43,650)	14-7 (W)
Nov. 25	at Tampa Bay (70,039)	23-22 (W)
Dec. 2	at Los Angeles (56,700)	OT 21-27 (L)
Dec. 9	Buffalo (42,339)	10-3 (W)
Dec. 16	at New England (54,710)	23-27 (L)

Points - 259 **Opponents - 337**

1980 — Coach: Bud Grant

Pre-Season (3-1)

Aug. 9	San Diego at Met (45,179)	27-17 (W)
Aug. 18	at Kansas City (39,879)	10-14 (L)
Aug. 23	at Miami (36,116)	17-10 (W)
Aug. 30	Cleveland at Met (47,262)	38-16 (W)

Regular Season (9-7)

Finish: NFC Central Champion

Sept. 7	Atlanta (44,733)	24-23 (W)
Sept. 14	Philadelphia (46,460)	7-42 (L)
Sept. 21	at Chicago (59,983)	34-14 (W)
Sept. 28	at Detroit (80,291)	7-27 (L)
Oct. 5	Pittsburgh (47,583)	17-23 (L)
Oct. 12	Chicago (46,751)	13-7 (W)
Oct. 19	at Cincinnati (44,487)	0-14 (L)
Oct. 26	at Green Bay (44,361)	3-16 (L)
Nov. 2	at Washington (52,060)	39-14 (W)
Nov. 9	Detroit (46,264)	34-0 (W)
Nov. 16	Tampa Bay (46,032)	38-30 (W)
Nov. 23	Green Bay (47,234)	13-25 (L)
Nov. 30	at New Orleans (30,936)	23-20 (W)
Dec. 7	at Tampa Bay (65,649)	21-10 (W)
Dec. 14	Cleveland (42,202)	28-23 (W)
Dec. 21	at Houston (51,064)	16-20 (L)

Points - 317 **Opponents - 308**

Post-Season (0-1)

Jan. 3	at Philadelphia (68,434)	16-31 (L)*

1981 — Coach: Bud Grant

Pre-Season (1-3)

Aug. 8	Miami at Met (45,165)	6-20 (L)
Aug. 14	at Washington (44,662)	13-27 (L)
Aug. 22	Atlanta (42,908)	20-19 (W)
Aug. 27	at Los Angeles (60,141)	31-34 (L)

Regular Season (7-9)

Finish: Fourth in NFC Central

Sept. 5	at Tampa Bay (66,287)	13-21 (L)
Sept. 14	Oakland (47,186)	10-36 (L)
Sept. 20	Detroit (45,340)	26-24 (W)
Sept. 27	at Green Bay (55,012)	30-13 (W)
Oct. 4	Chicago (43,827)	24-21 (W)
Oct. 11	at San Diego (50,708)	33-31 (W)
Oct. 18	Philadelphia (45,459)	35-23 (W)
Oct. 25	at St. Louis (48,039)	17-30 (L)
Nov. 2	at Denver (74,834)	17-19 (L)
Nov. 8	Tampa Bay (47,038)	25-10 (W)
Nov. 15	New Orleans (45,215)	20-10 (W)
Nov. 23	at Atlanta (54,086)	30-31 (L)
Nov. 29	Green Bay (46,025)	23-35 (L)
Dec. 6	at Chicago (50,766)	9-10 (L)
Dec. 12	at Detroit (79,428)	7-45 (L)
Dec. 20	Kansas City (41,110)	6-10 (L)

Points - 325 **Opponents - 369**

1982 — Coach: Bud Grant

Pre-Season (3-2)

Aug. 7	Baltimore at Canton (23,379)	30-14 (W)
Aug. 14	at Atlanta (49,831)	17-20 (L)
Aug. 21	Seattle (57,880)	7-3 (W)
Aug. 28	at Denver (73,371)	17-27 (L)
Sept. 3	New Orleans (59,810)	24-21 (W)

Regular Season (5-4)

Finish: Second in NFC Central (Fourth in the National Conference)

Sept. 12	Tampa Bay (58,440)	17-10 (W)
Sept. 16	at Buffalo (77,753)	22-23 (L)
Nov. 21	Green Bay at Milw. (44,681)	7-26 (L)
Nov. 28	Chicago (54,724)	35-7 (W)
Dec. 5	at Miami (45,721)	14-22 (L)
Dec. 12	Baltimore (53,981)	13-10 (W)
Dec. 19	at Detroit (73,058)	34-31 (W)
Dec. 26	New York Jets (58,672)	14-42 (L)
Jan. 3	Dallas (60,007)	31-27 (W)

Points - 187 **Opponents - 198**

Post-Season (1-1)

Jan. 9	Atlanta (60,560)	30-24 (W)*
Jan. 15	at Washington (54,593)	7-21 (L)#

* First Round Playoff Super Bowl Tournament
# Second Round Playoff Super Bowl Tournament

1983 — Coach: Bud Grant

Pre-Season (3-1)

Aug. 6	St. Louis at London (32,847)	28-10 (W)
Aug. 13	Baltimore (56,061)	7-10 (L)
Aug. 19	at Seattle (54,402)	19-17 (W)
Aug. 26	Denver (59,435)	34-3 (W)

Regular Season (8-8)

Finish: Fourth in NFC Central

Sept. 4	at Cleveland (70,087)	27-21 (W)
Sept. 8	San Francisco (58,167)	17-48 (L)
Sept. 18	at Tampa Bay (47,567)	OT 19-16 (W)
Sept. 25	Detroit (58,254)	20-17 (W)
Oct. 2	Dallas (62,136)	24-37 (L)
Oct. 9	at Chicago (59,632)	23-14 (W)
Oct. 16	Houston (58,910)	34-14 (W)
Oct. 23	at Green Bay (55,236)	OT 20-17 (W)
Oct. 30	at St. Louis (38,796)	31-41 (L)
Nov. 6	Tampa Bay (59,239)	12-17 (L)
Nov. 13	Green Bay (60,113)	21-29 (L)
Nov. 20	at Pittsburgh (58,417)	17-14 (W)
Nov. 27	at New Orleans (59,502)	16-17 (L)
Dec. 5	at Detroit (79,169)	2-13 (L)
Dec. 11	Chicago (57,880)	13-19 (L)
Dec. 17	Cincinnati (51,565)	20-14 (W)

Points - 316 **Opponents - 348**

1984 — Coach: Les Steckel

Pre-Season (1-3)

Aug. 4	Atlanta (51,693)	37-6 (W)
Aug. 11	Miami (54,003)	7-29 (L)
Aug. 18	Philadelphia (51,743)	10-31 (L)
Aug. 24	at St. Louis (35,864)	0-31 (L)

Regular Season (3-13)

Finish: Fifth in NFC Conference

Sept. 2	San Diego (57,276)	13-42 (L)
Sept. 9	at Philadelphia (55,942)	17-19 (L)
Sept. 16	Atlanta (53,955)	27-20 (W)
Sept. 23	at Detroit (57,511)	29-28 (W)
Sept. 30	Seattle (57,171)	12-20 (L)
Oct. 7	at Tampa Bay (47,405)	31-35 (L)
Oct. 14	at L.A. Raiders (49,276)	20-23 (L)
Oct. 21	Detroit (57,953)	14-16 (L)
Oct. 28	at Chicago (57,517)	7-16 (L)
Nov. 4	Tampa Bay (54,949)	27-24 (W)
Nov. 11	Green Bay (Milw.) (52,931)	17-45 (L)
Nov. 18	at Denver (74,716)	21-42 (L)
Nov. 25	Chicago (56,881)	3-34 (L)
Nov. 29	Washington (55,017)	17-31 (L)
Dec. 8	at San Francisco (61,384)	7-51 (L)
Dec. 16	Green Bay (51,197)	14-38 (L)

Points - 276 **Opponents - 484**

1985 — Coach: Bud Grant

Pre-Season (3-1)

Aug. 10	at Miami (41,129)	16-13 (W)
Aug. 17	Pittsburgh (56,887)	41-34 (W)
Aug. 24	Seattle (56,562)	10-27 (L)
Aug. 30	at Denver (69,373)	13-9 (W)

Regular Season (7-9)

Finish: Third in NFC Central

Sept. 8	San Francisco 57,375)	28-21 (W)
Sept. 15	at Tampa Bay (46,188)	31-16 (W)
Sept. 19	Chicago (61,242)	24-33 (L)
Sept. 29	at Buffalo (45,667)	27-20 (W)
Oct. 6	at L.A. Rams (61,139)	10-13 (L)
Oct. 13	Green Bay (Milw.) (54,674)	17-20 (L)
Oct. 20	San Diego (61,670)	21-17 (W)
Oct. 27	at Chicago (63,815)	9-27 (L)
Nov. 3	Detroit (58,012)	16-13 (W)
Nov. 10	Green Bay (59,970)	17-27 (L)
Nov. 17	at Detroit (54,647)	21-41 (L)
Nov. 24	New Orleans (54,117)	23-30 (L)
Dec. 1	at Philadelphia (54,688)	28-23 (W)
Dec. 8	Tampa Bay (51,593)	26-7 (W)
Dec. 15	at Atlanta (14,167)	13-14 (L)
Dec. 22	Philadelphia (49,722)	35-37 (L)

Points - 346 **Opponents - 359**

1986 — Coach: Jerry Burns

Pre-Season (3-1)

Aug. 9	Miami (52,865)	30-16 (W)
Aug. 16	Denver (53,193)	29-27 (W)
Aug. 22	at Seattle (57,730)	17-27 (L)
Aug. 30	at Indianapolis (57,969)	23-20 (W)

Regular Season (9-7)

Finish: Second in NFC Central

Sept. 7	Detroit (54,851)	10-13 (L)
Sept. 14	at Tampa Bay (34,579)	23-10 (W)
Sept. 21	Pittsburgh (56,795)	31-7 (W)
Sept. 28	Green Bay (60,478)	42-7 (W)
Oct. 5	at Chicago (63,921)	0-23 (L)
Oct. 12	at San Francisco (58,637)	OT 27-24 (W)
Oct. 19	Chicago (62,851)	23-7 (W)
Oct. 26	Cleveland (59,133)	20-23 (L)
Nov. 2	at Washington (51,928)	OT 38-44 (L)
Nov. 9	at Detroit (53,725)	24-10 (W)
Nov. 16	N.Y. Giants (62,003)	20-22 (L)
Nov. 23	at Cincinnati (53,003)	20-24 (L)
Nov. 30	Tampa Bay (56,235)	45-13 (W)
Dec. 7	at Green Bay (47,637)	32-6 (W)
Dec. 14	at Houston (32,738)	10-23 (L)
Dec. 21	New Orleans (51,209)	33-17 (W)

Points - 398 **Opponents - 273**

1987 — Coach: Jerry Burns

Pre-Season (2-2)

Aug. 15	at New Orleans	17-23 (L)
Aug. 22	Indianapolis (49,304)	37-13 (W)
Aug. 29	New England (49,339)	27-38 (L)
Sept. 3	at Denver (74,081)	27-17 (W)

Regular Season (8-7)

Finish: Second in NFC Central

Sept. 13	Detroit (57,061)	34-19 (W)
Sept. 20	at L.A. Rams (63,367)	21-16 (W)
Oct. 4	Green Bay (13,911)	16-23 (L)
Oct. 11	at Chicago (32,113)	7-27 (L)
Oct. 18	at Tampa Bay (20,850)	10-20 (L)
Oct. 26	Denver (51,011)	34-27 (W)
Nov. 1	at Seattle (61,134)	17-28 (L)
Nov. 8	L.A. Raiders (57,150)	31-20 (W)
Nov. 15	Tampa Bay (48,605)	23-17 (W)
Nov. 22	Atlanta (53,866)	24-13 (W)
Nov. 26	at Dallas (54,229)	OT 44-38 (W)
Dec. 6	Chicago (62,331)	24-30 (L)
Dec. 13	at Green Bay (Milw.) (47,059)	10-16 (L)
Dec. 20	at Detroit (27,693)	17-14 (W)
Dec. 26	Washington (59,160)	OT 24-27 (L)

Points - 336 **Opponents - 335**

Post-Season (2-1)

Jan. 3	at New Orleans (68,127)	44-10 (W)$
Jan. 9	at San Francisco (62,547)	36-24 (W)*
Jan. 17	at Washington (55,212)	10-17 (L)#

1988—Coach: Jerry Burns

Pre-Season (3-1)

Aug. 7	New Orleans (47,624)	20-23 (L)
Aug. 14	Chicago at Goteborg (33,115)	28-21 (W)
Aug. 21	at Phoenix (45,429)	OT 19-16 (W)
Aug. 26	Miami (51,463)	24-17 (W)

Regular Season (11-5)

Sept. 4	at Buffalo (76,783)	10-13 (L)
Sept. 11	New England (55,545)	36-6 (W)
Sept. 18	at Chicago (63,990)	31-7 (W)
Sept. 25	Philadelphia (56,012)	23-21 (W)
Oct. 2	at Miami (59,867)	7-24 (L)
Oct. 9	Tampa Bay (55,374)	14-13 (W)
Oct. 16	Green Bay (59,053)	14-34 (L)
Oct. 23	at Tampa Bay (48,020)	49-20 (W)
Oct. 30	at San Francisco (60,738)	21-24 (L)
Nov. 6	Detroit (55,573)	44-17 (W)
Nov. 13	at Dallas (57,830)	43-3 (W)
Nov. 20	Indianapolis (58,342)	12-3 (W)
Nov. 24	at Detroit (46,379)	23-0 (W)
Dec. 4	New Orleans (61,215)	45-3 (W)
Dec. 11	at Green Bay (48,892)	6-18 (L)
Dec. 19	Chicago (62,067)	28-27 (W)

Points - 406 **Opponents - 233**

Post-Season (1-1)

Dec. 26	L.A. Rams (57,666)	28-17 (W)$
Jan. 1	at San Francisco (61,848)	9-34 (L)*

SERIES STANDINGS

VIKINGS vs ATLANTA
Won 9, Lost 6, Tied 0
Home 7-1, Away 2-5
1966 (H) Atlanta 20 - 13
1967 (A) Atlanta 21 - 20
1968 (H) Minnesota 47 - 7
1969 (A) Atlanta 10 - 3
1970 (A) Minnesota 37 - 7
1971 (H) Minnesota 24 - 7
1973 (A) Atlanta 20 - 14
1974 (H) Minnesota 23 - 10
1975 (H) Minnesota 38 - 0
1977 (A) Minnesota 14 - 7
1980 (H) Minnesota 24 - 23
1981 (A) Atlanta 31 - 30
1984 (H) Minnesota 27 - 20
1985 (A) Atlanta 14 - 13
1987 (H) Minnesota 24 - 13
PLAYOFFS: 1 - 0
1982 (H) Minnesota 30 - 24 (First Round)

VIKINGS vs BUFFALO
Won 4, Lost 2, Tied 0
Home 2-0, Away 2-2
1971 (H) Minnesota 19 - 0
1975 (A) Minnesota 35 - 13
1979 (H) Minnesota 10 - 3
1982 (A) Buffalo 23 - 22
1985 (A) Minnesota 27 - 20
1988 (A) Buffalo 13-10

VIKINGS vs CHICAGO
Won 28, Lost 25, Tied 2
Home 16-12, Away 12-13-2
1961 (H) Minnesota 37 - 13
(A) Chicago 52 - 35
1962 (H) Chicago 13 - 0
(A) Chicago 31 - 30
1963 (H) Chicago 28 - 7
(A) Tie, 17 - 17
1964 (H) Chicago 34 - 28
(A) Minnesota 41 - 14
1965 (H) Chicago 45 - 37
(A) Minnesota 24 - 17
1966 (H) Chicago 13 - 10
(A) Chicago 41 - 28
1967 (H) Chicago 17 - 7
(A) Tie, 10 - 10
1968 (H) Chicago 27 - 17
(A) Chicago 26 - 17
1969 (A) Minnesota 31 - 0
(H) Minnesota 31 - 14
1970 (A) Minnesota 24 - 0
(H) Minnesota 16 - 13
1971 (H) Chicago 20 - 17
(A) Minnesota 27 - 10
1972 (A) Chicago 13 - 10
(H) Minnesota 23 - 10
1973 (A) Minnesota 22 - 13
(H) Minnesota 31 - 13
1974 (H) Minnesota 11 - 7
(A) Minnesota 17 - 0
1975 (H) Minnesota 28 - 3
(A) Minnesota 13 - 9
1976 (H) Minnesota 20 - 19
(A) Chicago 14 - 13
1977 (H) Minnesota 22 - 16 (OT)
(A) Chicago 10 - 7
1978 (A) Minnesota 24 - 20
(H) Minnesota 17 - 14
1979 (A) Chicago 26 - 7
(H) Minnesota 30 -27
1980 (A) Minnesota 34 - 14
(H) Minnesota 13 - 7
1981 (H) Minnesota 24 - 21
(A) Chicago 10 - 9
1982 (H) Minnesota 35 - 7
1983 (A) Minnesota 23 - 14
(H) Chicago 19 - 13
1984 (A) Chicago 16 - 7
(H) Chicago 34 - 3
1985 (H) Chicago 33 - 24
(A) Chicago 27 - 9
1986 (A) Chicago 23 - 0
(H) Minnesota 23 - 7
1987 (A) Chicago 7 - 27
(H) Chicago 24 - 30
1988 (A) Minnesota 31-7
(H) Minnesota 28-27

VIKINGS vs CINCINNATI
Won 2, Lost 3, Tied 0
Home 2-0, Away 0-3
1973 (A) Cincinnati 27 - 0
1977 (H) Minnesota 42 -10
1980 (A) Cincinnati 14 - 0
1983 (H) Minnesota 20 - 14
1986 (A) Cincinnati 24 - 20

VIKINGS vs CLEVELAND
Won 6, Lost 2, Tied 0
Home 3-1, Away 3-1
1965 (A) Minnesota 27 - 17
1967 (A) Cleveland 14 - 10
1969 (H) Minnesota 51 - 3
1973 (H) Minnesota 26 - 3
1975 (A) Minnesota 42 - 10
1980 (H) Minnesota 28 - 23
1983 (A) Minnesota 27 - 21
1986 (H) Cleveland 23 - 20
PLAYOFFS: 1 - 0
1969 (H) Minnesota 27 - 7 (NFL)

VIKINGS vs DALLAS
Won 6, Lost 7, Tied 0
Home 2-5, Away 4-2
1961 (A) Dallas 21 - 7
(H) Dallas 28 - 0
1966 (A) Dallas 28 - 17
1968 (H) Dallas 20 - 7
1970 (H) Minnesota 54 - 13
1974 (A) Minnesota 23 - 21
1977 (H) Dallas 16 - 10 (OT)
1978 (A) Minnesota 21 - 10
1979 (H) Dallas 36 - 20
1982 (H) Minnesota 31 - 27
1983 (H) Dallas 37 - 24
1987 (A) Minnesota 44 - 38 (OT)
1988 (A) Minnesota 43-3
PLAYOFFS: 1 - 4
1968 (A) Dallas 17 - 13 (Runnerup)
1971 (H) Dallas 20 - 12 (DIV)
1973 (A) Minnesota 27 - 10 (NFC)
1975 (H) Dallas 17 - 14 (DIV)
1977 (A) Dallas 23 - 6 (NFC)

VIKINGS vs DENVER
Won 3, Lost 2, Tied 0
Home 2-0, Away 1-2
1972 (A) Minnesota 23 - 20
1978 (H) Minnesota 12 - 9 (OT)
1981 (A) Denver 19 - 17
1984 (A) Denver 42 - 21
1987 (H) Minnesota 34 - 27

VIKINGS vs DETROIT
Won 35, Lost 18, Tied 2
Home 18-8-1, Away 17-10-1
1961 (H) Detroit 37 - 10
(A) Detroit 13 - 7
1962 (H) Detroit 17 - 6
(A) Detroit 37 - 23
1963 (A) Detroit 28 - 10
(H) Minnesota 34 - 31
1964 (H) Detroit 24 - 20
(A) Tie, 23 - 23
1965 (H) Detroit 31 - 29
(A) Minnesota 29 - 7
1966 (H) Detroit 32 - 31
(A) Minnesota 28 - 16
1967 (H) Tie, 10 - 10
(A) Detroit 14 - 3
1968 (H) Minnesota 24 - 10
(A) Minnesota 13 - 6
1969 (H) Minnesota 24 - 10
(A) Minnesota 27 - 0
1970 (A) Minnesota 30 -17
(H) Minnesota 24 - 20
1971 (A) Minnesota 16 - 13
(H) Minnesota 29 - 10

1972 (A) Minnesota 34 - 10
(H) Minnesota 16 - 14
1973 (A) Minnesota 23 - 9
(H) Minnesota 28 - 7
1974 (A) Minnesota 7 - 6
(H) Detroit 20 - 16
1975 (H) Minnesota 25 - 19
(A) Detroit 17 - 10
1976 (A) Minnesota 10 - 9
(H) Minnesota 31 - 23
1977 (H) Minnesota 14 - 7
(A) Minnesota 30 - 21
1978 (H) Minnesota 17 - 7
(A) Detroit 45 - 14
1979 (A) Minnesota 13 - 10
(H) Minnesota 14 - 7
1980 (A) Detroit 27 - 7
(H) Minnesota 34 - 0
1981 (H) Minnesota 26 - 24
(A) Detroit 45 - 7
1982 (A) Minnesota 34 - 31
1983 (H) Minnesota 20 - 17
(A) Detroit 13 - 2
1984 (A) Minnesota 29 - 28
(H) Detroit 16 - 14
1985 (H) Minnesota 16 - 13
(A) Detroit 41 - 21
1986 (H) Detroit 13 - 10
(A) Minnesota 24 - 10
1987 (H) Minnesota 34 - 19
(A) Minnesota 17 - 14
1988 (H) Minnesota 44-17
(A) Minnesota 23-0

VIKINGS vs GREEN BAY
Won 26, Lost 28, Tied 1
Home 11-16, Away 15-12-1
(5-7 in Milwaukee)

1961 (H) Green Bay 33 - 7
(A) Green Bay 28 - 10
1962 (A) Green Bay 34 - 7
(H) Green Bay 48 - 21
1963 (H) Green Bay 37 - 28
(A) Green Bay 28 - 7
1964 (A) Minnesota 24 - 23
(H) Green Bay 42 - 13
1965 (H) Green Bay 38 - 13
(A) Green Bay 24 - 19
1966 (A) Minnesota 20 - 17
(H) Green Bay 28 - 16
1967 (A) Minnesota 10 - 7
(H) Green Bay 30 - 27
1968 (A) Minnesota 26 - 13
(H) Minnesota 14 - 10
1969 (H) Minnesota 19 - 7
(A) Minnesota 9 - 7
1970 (A) Green Bay 13 - 10
(H) Minnesota 10 - 3
1971 (A) Minnesota 24 - 13
(H) Minnesota 3 - 0
1972 (A) Minnesota 27 - 13
(H) Green Bay 23 - 7
1973 (H) Minnesota 11 - 3
(A) Minnesota 31 - 7
1974 (A) Minnesota 32 - 17
(H) Green Bay 19 - 7
1975 (A) Minnesota 28 - 17
(H) Minnesota 24 - 3
1976 (A) Minnesota 17 - 10
(H) Minnesota 20 - 9
1977 (H) Minnesota 19 - 7
(A) Minnesota 13 - 6
1978 (H) Minnesota 21 - 7
(A) Tie, 10 - 10 (OT)
1979 (H) Minnesota 27 - 21 (OT)
(A) Green Bay 19 - 7
1980 (A) Green Bay 16 - 3
(H) Green Bay 25 - 13
1981 (A) Minnesota 30 - 13
(H) Green Bay 35 - 23
1982 (A) Green Bay 26 - 7
1983 (A) Minnesota 20 - 17 (OT)
(H) Green Bay 29 - 21
1984 (A) Green Bay 45 - 17
(H) Green Bay 38 - 14
1985 (A) Green Bay 20 - 17
(H) Green Bay 27 - 17
1986 (H) Minnesota 42 - 7
(A) Minnesota 32 - 6
1987 (H) Green Bay 23 - 16
(A) Green Bay 16 - 10
1988 (H) Green Bay 34-14
(A) Green Bay 18-6

VIKINGS vs HOUSTON
Won 2, Lost 2, Tied 0
Home 2-0, Away 0-2

1974 (H) Minnesota 51 - 10
1980 (A) Houston 20 - 16
1983 (H) Minnesota 34 - 14
1986 (A) Houston 23 - 10

VIKINGS vs INDIANAPOLIS
Won 6, Lost 11, Tied 1
Home 6-4-1, Away 0-7

1961 (A) Baltimore 34 - 13
(H) Minnesota 28 - 20
1962 (H) Baltimore 34 - 7
(A) Baltimore 42 - 14
1963 (H) Baltimore 37 - 34
(A) Baltimore 41 - 10
1964 (H) Minnesota 34 - 24
(A) Baltimore 17 - 14
1965 (A) Baltimore 35 - 16
(H) Baltimore 41 - 21
1966 (H) Baltimore 38 - 23
(A) Baltimore 20 - 17
1967 (H) Tie, 20 - 20
1968 (A) Baltimore 24 - 9
1969 (H) Minnesota 52 - 14
1971 (H) Minnesota 10 - 3
1982 (H) Minnesota 13 - 10
1988 (H) Minnesota 12-3

PLAYOFFS: 0 - 1

1968 (A) Baltimore 24 - 14 (DIV)

VIKINGS vs KANSAS CITY
Won 2, Lost 1, Tied 0
Home 1-1, Away 1-0

1970 (H) Minnesota 27 - 10
1974 (A) Minnesota 35 - 15
1981 (H) Kansas City 10 - 6

PLAYOFFS: 0 - 1

1970 (A) Kansas City 23 - 7 (SB)

VIKINGS vs LA RAIDERS
Won 2, Lost 4, Tied 0
Home 2-1, Away 0-3

1973 (H) Minnesota 24 - 16
1977 (A) Oakland 35 - 13
1978 (A) Oakland 27 - 20
1981 (H) Oakland 36 - 10
1984 (A) Oakland 23 - 20
1987 (H) Minnesota 31 - 20

PLAYOFFS: 0 - 1

1976 (A) Oakland 32 - 14 (SB)

VIKINGS vs LA RAMS
Won 12, Lost 11, Tied 2
Home 7-2-2, Away 5-9

1961 (A) Los Angeles 31 - 17
(H) Minnesota 42 - 21
1962 (A) Minnesota 38 - 14
(H) Tie, 24 - 24
1963 (A) Los Angeles 27 - 24
(H) Minnesota 21 - 13
1964 (A) Los Angeles 22 - 13
(H) Minnesota 34 - 13
1965 (A) Minnesota 38 - 35
(H) Minnesota 24 - 13
1966 (H) Minnesota 35 - 7
(A) Los Angeles 21 - 6
1967 (A) Los Angeles 39 - 3
1968 (H) Los Angeles 31 - 3
1969 (A) Minnesota 20 - 13
1970 (H) Minnesota 13 - 3
1972 (A) Minnesota 45 - 41
1973 (H) Minnesota 10 - 9
1974 (A) Los Angeles 20 - 17
1976 (H) Tie, 10 - 10
1977 (A) Los Angeles 35 - 3
1978 (H) Los Angeles 34 - 17
1979 (A) Los Angeles 27 - 21 (OT)
1985 (A) Los Angeles 13 - 10
1987 (A) Minnesota 21 - 16

PLAYOFFS: 5 - 1

1969 (H) Minnesota 23 - 20 (DIV)
1974 (H) Minnesota 14 - 10 (NFC)
1976 (H) Minnesota 24 - 13 (NFC)
1977 (A) Minnesota 14 - 7 (DIV)
1978 (A) Los Angeles 34 - 10 (DIV)
1988 (H) Minnesota 28 - 17 (Wild Card)

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VIKINGS vs MIAMI
Won 1, Lost 4, Tied 0
Home 0-2, Away 1-2
1972 (H) Miami 16 - 14
1976 (A) Minnesota 29 - 7
1979 (H) Miami 27 - 12
1982 (A) Miami 22 - 14
1988 (A) Miami 24 - 7
PLAYOFFS: 0-1
1974 (A) Miami 24-7 (SB)

VIKINGS vs NEW ENGLAND
Won 2, Lost 2, Tied 0
Home 1-1, Away 1-1
1970 (A) Minnesota 35 - 14
1974 (H) New England 17 - 14
1979 (A) New England 27 - 23
1988 (H) Minnesota 36 - 6

VIKINGS vs NEW ORLEANS
Won 10, Lost 4, Tied 0
Home 6-1, Away 4-3
1968 (A) New Orleans 20 - 17
1970 (H) Minnesota 26 - 0
1971 (A) Minnesota 23 - 10
1972 (H) Minnesota 37 - 6
1974 (H) Minnesota 29 - 9
1975 (A) Minnesota 20 - 7
1976 (A) Minnesota 40 - 9
1978 (A) New Orleans 31 - 24
1980 (A) Minnesota 23 - 20
1981 (H) Minnesota 20 - 10
1983 (A) New Orleans 17 - 16
1985 (H) New Orleans 30 - 23
1986 (H) Minnesota 33 - 17
1988 (H) Minnesota 45 - 3
PLAYOFFS: 1 - 0
1987 (A) Minnesota 44 - 10
(Wild Card)

VIKINGS vs NY GIANTS
Won 6, Lost 2, Tied 0
Home 3-1, Away 3-1
1964 (A) Minnesota 30 - 21
1965 (H) Minnesota 40 - 14
1967 (H) Minnesota 27 - 24
1969 (A) New York 24 - 23
1971 (A) Minnesota 17 - 10
1973 (A) Minnesota 31 - 7
1976 (H) Minnesota 24 - 7
1986 (H) New York 22 - 20

VIKINGS vs NY JETS
Won 1, Lost 3, Tied 0
Home 1-1, Away 0-2
1970 (A) New York 20 - 10
1975 (H) Minnesota 29 - 21
1979 (A) New York 14 - 7
1982 (H) New York 42 - 14

VIKINGS vs PHILADELPHIA
Won 10, Lost 3, Tied 0
Home 5-2, Away 5-1
1962 (H) Minnesota 31 - 21
1963 (A) Minnesota 34 - 13
1968 (A) Minnesota 24 - 17
1971 (A) Minnesota 13 - 0
1973 (H) Minnesota 28 - 21
1976 (A) Minnesota 31 - 12
1978 (H) Minnesota 28 - 27
1980 (H) Philadelphia 42 - 7
1981 (H) Minnesota 35 - 23
1984 (A) Philadelphia 19 - 17
1985 (A) Minnesota 28 - 23
(H) Philadelphia 37 - 35
1988 (H) Minnesota 23 - 21
PLAYOFFS: 0 - 1
1980 (A) Philadelphia 31 - 16 (DIV)

VIKINGS vs PITTSBURGH
Won 6, Lost 3, Tied 0
Home 4-1, Away 2-2
1962 (A) Pittsburgh 39 - 31
1964 (H) Minnesota 30 - 10
1967 (A) Minnesota 41 - 27
1969 (H) Minnesota 52 - 14
1972 (A) Pittsburgh 23 - 10
1976 (H) Minnesota 17 - 6
1980 (H) Pittsburgh 23 - 17
1983 (A) Minnesota 17 - 14
1986 (H) Minnesota 31 - 7
PLAYOFFS: 0 - 1
1975 (A) Pittsburgh 16 - 6 (SB)

VIKINGS vs PHOENIX
Won 2, Lost 7, Tied 0
Home 0-4, Away 2-3
1963 (H) St. Louis 56 - 14
1967 (H) St. Louis 34 - 24
1969 (A) Minnesota 27 - 10
1972 (H) St. Louis 19 - 17
1974 (A) Minnesota 28 - 24
1977 (H) St. Louis 27 - 7
1979 (A) St. Louis 37 - 7
1981 (A) St. Louis 30 - 17
1983 (A) St. Louis 41 - 31
PLAYOFFS: 1 - 0
1974 (H) Minnesota 30 - 14 (DIV)

VIKINGS vs SAN DIEGO
Won 3, Lost 3, Tied 0
Home 2-2, Away 1-1
1971 (A) San Diego 30 - 14
1975 (H) Minnesota 28 - 13
1978 (H) San Diego 13 - 7
1981 (A) Minnesota 33 - 31
1984 (H) San Diego 42 - 13
1985 (H) Minnesota 21 - 17

VIKINGS vs SAN FRANCISCO
Won 14, Lost 12, Tied 1
Home 8-6, Away 6-6-1
1961 (H) San Francisco 38 - 24
(A) San Francisco 38 - 28
1962 (A) San Francisco 21 - 7
(H) San Francisco 35 - 12
1963 (A) Minnesota 24 - 20
(H) Minnesota 45 - 14
1964 (A) Minnesota 27 - 22
(H) Minnesota 24 - 7
1965 (A) Minnesota 42 - 41
(H) San Francisco 45 - 24
1966 (A) Tie, 20 - 20
(H) Minnesota 28 - 3
1967 (H) San Francisco 27 - 21
1968 (A) Minnesota 30 - 20
1969 (H) Minnesota 10 - 7
1971 (H) San Francisco 13 -9
1972 (A) San Francisco 20 - 17
1973 (A) Minnesota 17 - 13
1975 (H) Minnesota 27 - 17
1976 (A) San Francisco 20 - 16
1977 (H) Minnesota 28 - 27
1979 (H) Minnesota 28 - 22
1983 (H) San Francisco 48 - 17
1984 (A) San Francisco 51 - 7
1985 (H) Minnesota 28 - 21
1986 (A) Minnesota 27 - 24 (OT)
1988 (A) San Francisco 24 - 21
PLAYOFFS: 1 - 2
1970 (H) San Francisco 17 - 14 (DIV)
1987 (A) Minnesota 36 - 24 (DIV)
1988 (A) San Francisco 34 - 9 (DIV)

VIKINGS vs SEATTLE
Won 1, Lost 3, Tied 0
Home 1-1, Away 0-2
1976 (H) Minnesota 27 - 21
1978 (A) Seattle 29 - 28
1984 (H) Seattle 20 - 12
1987 (A) Seattle 28 - 17

VIKINGS vs TAMPA BAY
Won 16, Lost 6, Tied 0
Home 8-3, 8-3

1977 (A) Minnesota 9 - 3
1978 (H) Tampa Bay 16 - 10
(A) Minnesota 24 - 7
1979 (H) Tampa Bay 12 - 10
(A) Minnesota 23 - 22
1980 (H) Minnesota 38 - 30
(A) Minnesota 21 - 10
1981 (A) Tampa Bay 21 - 13
(H) Minnesota 25 - 10
1982 (H) Minnesota 17 - 10
1983 (A) Minnesota 19 - 16 (OT)
(H) Tampa Bay 17 - 12
1984 (A) Tampa Bay 35 - 21
(H) Minnesota 27 - 24
1985 (A) Minnesota 31 - 16
(H) Minnesota 26 - 7
1986 (A) Minnesota 23 - 10
(H) Minnesota 45 - 13
1987 (A) Tampa Bay 20 - 10
(H) Minnesota 23 - 17
1988 (H) Minnesota 14 - 13
(A) Minnesota 49 - 20

VIKINGS vs WASHINGTON
Won 3, Lost 5, Tied 0
Home 1-3, Away 2-2

1968 (H) Minnesota 27 - 14
1970 (A) Minnesota 19 - 10
1972 (H) Washington 24 - 21
1975 (A) Washington 31 - 30
1980 (A) Minnesota 39 - 14
1984 (H) Washington 31 - 17
1986 (A) Washington 44 - 38 (OT)
1987 (H) Washington 27 - 24 (OT)

PLAYOFFS: 2 - 2

1973 (H) Minnesota 27 - 20 (DIV)
1976 (H) Minnesota 35 - 20 (DIV)
1982 (A) Washington 21 - 7
(Second Round)
1987 (A) Washington 17 - 10 (NFC)

1989 NATIONALLY TELEVISED GAMES

(All times local)

Mon Sept 11	New York Giants at Washington, (9 pm ABC)
Mon Sept 18	Denver at Buffalo (9 pm ABC)
Mon Sept 25	Cleveland at Cincinnati (9 pm ABC)
Mon Oct 2	Philadelphia at Chicago (8 pm ABC)
Mon Oct 9	Los Angeles Raiders at New York Jets (9 pm ABC)
Mon Oct 16	Los Angeles Rams at Buffalo (9 pm ABC)
Mon Oct 23	Chicago at Cleveland (9 pm ABC)
Mon Oct 30	Minnesota at New York Giants (9 pm ABC)
Sun Nov 5	Dallas at Washington (8 pm ESPN)
Mon Nov 6	San Francisco at New Orleans (8 pm ABC)
Sun Nov 12	Los Angeles Raiders at San Diego (5 pm ESPN)
Mon Nov 13	Cincinnati at Houston (8 pm ABC)
Sun Nov 19	New York Jets at Indianapolis (8 pm ESPN)
Mon Nov 20	Denver at Washington (9 pm ABC)
Thurs Nov 23	Cleveland at Detroit (12:30 NBC)
	Philadelphia at Dallas (3 pm CBS)
Sun Nov 26	Los Angeles Rams at New Orleans (7 pm ESPN)
Mon Nov 27	New York Giants at San Francisco (9 pm ABC)
Sun Dec 3	Chicago at Minnesota (7 pm ESPN)
Mon Dec 4	Buffalo at Seattle (6 pm ABC)
Sun Dec 10	New England at Miami (8 pm ESPN)
Mon Dec 11	San Francisco at Los Angeles Rams (6 pm ABC)
Sat Dec 16	Dallas at New York Giants (12:30 CBS)
	Denver at Phoenix (2 pm NBC)
Sun Dec 17	Los Angeles Raiders at Seattle (5 pm ESPN)
Mon Dec 18	Philadelphia at New Orleans (8 pm ABC)
Sat Dec 23	Buffalo at New York Jets (12:30 NBC)
	Washington at Seattle (1 pm CBS)
	Cleveland at Houston (7 pm ESPN)
Mon Dec 25	Cincinnati at Minnesota (8 pm ABC)

VIKING ALUMNI

Ache, Steve (lb) Southwest Missouri 1987
Adams, Tom (e) Minnesota-Duluth 1962
Adams, Tony (qb) Utah State 1987
Alderman, Grady (t) Detroit University 1961-74
Allen, Nate (db) Texas Southern 1976-79
Anderson, Scott (c) Missouri 1974, 1976
Anno, Sam (lb) USC 1987-88
Arbubakrr, Hasson (de) Texas Tech 1984
Arrobio, Chuck (t) Southern California 1966
Ashley, Walker Lee (lb) Penn State 1983-88
Athas, Pete (cb) Tennessee 1975
Baker, Al (de) Colorado State 1988
Ballman, Gary (te) Michigan State 1973
Barnes, Bill (rb) Wake Forest 1965-66
Battle, Jim (g) So. Illinois 1963
Baylor, Tim (s) Morgan State 1979-80
Beamon Autry (s) East Texas State 1975-76
Beasley, John (te) California 1967-73
Bedsole, Hal (te) Southern California 1964-66
Bell, Rick (rb) St. John's (Minn.) 1983
Berry, Bob (qb) Oregon 1965-67; 73-76
Bess, Rufus (db) South Carolina State 1982-1987
Bishop, Bill (dt) North Texas State 1961
Bishop, Keith (qb) Wheaton College 1987
Blahak, Joe (db) Nebraska 1974-75; 1977
Blair, Matt (lb) Iowa State 1974-85
Bolin, Bookie (g) Mississippi 1968-69
Bono, Steve (qb) UCLA 1985-86
Boone, David (de) Eastern Michigan 1974
Bowie, Larry (g) Purdue 1962-68
Boyd, Brent (g) UCLA 1980-86
Boylan, Jim (e) Washington State 1963-64
Bramlett, Don (dt) Carson-Newman 1987
Breitenstein, Bob (t) Tulsa 1967
Brim, James (wr) Wake Forest 1987
Britt, Charlie (db) Georgia 1964
Brown, Bill (rb) Illinois 1962-74
Brown, Robert (te) Alcorn A&M 1971
Brown, Ted (rb) North Carolina State ... 1979-1986
Brown, Terry (s) Oklahoma State 1972-75
Bruer, Bob (te) Mankato State 1980-84
Brune, Larry (s) Rice 1980
Bryant, Bobby (cb) South Carolina 1967-1980
Bryant, Tim (lb) Southern Mississippi 1987
Buetow, Bart (t) Minnesota 1976
Bundra, Mike (dt) Southern California 1964
Burton, Derek (t) Oklahoma State 1987
Butler, Billy (rb) Chattanooga 1962-64
Byers, Ken (g) Cincinnati 1964-66
Caleb, Jamie (rb) Grambling 1961
Calland, Lee (db) Louisville 1963-65
Campbell, John (lb) Minnesota 1963-64
Cappleman, Bill (qb) Florida State 1970
Carpenter, Preston (te) Arkansas 1966
Carroll, Jay (te) Minnesota 1985
Casper, Dave (te) Notre Dame 1983
Charles, John (db) Purdue 1970
Christopherson, Jim (k) Concordia 1962
Clabo, Neil (p) Tennessee 1975-77
Clarke, Leon (e) Southern California 1963
Cobb, Marvin (db) Southern California 1980
Coffman, Paul (te) Kansas State 1988
Coleman, Al (db) Tennessee State 1967
Coleman, Dan (de) Murray State 1987
Coleman, Greg (p) Florida A & M 1978-87
Collins, Dwight (wr) Pittsburgh 1984
Collins, Fabray (lb) Southern Illinois 1987
Colter, Jeff (db) Kansas 1984
Cox, Fred (k) Pittsburgh 1963-77
Craig, Steve (te) Northwestern 1974-78
Cunningham, Doug (wr) Rice 1979
Cuozzo, Gary (qb) Virginia 1968-71
Culpepper, Ed (dt) Alabama 1961
Dale, Carroll (wr) Virginia Tech 1973
Danmeier, Rick (k) Sioux Falls 1977-83
Daugherty, Ron (wr) Northeastern 1987
Davis, Doug (t) Kentucky 1966-72
Dawson, Dale (k) Eastern Kentucky 1987
Dawson, Rhett (wr) Florida State 1973
Dean, Ted (rb) Wichita 1964
Demery, Calvin (wr) Arizona State 1972
Denny, Earl (rb) Missouri 1967-68
Denson, Al (wr) Florida A&M 1971
Denton, Bob (de) Pacific 1961-64
Derby, Dean (db) Washington 1961-62
Dick, Jim (lb) North Dakota State 1987
Dickson, Paul (dt) Baylor 1961-70
Dils, Steve (qb) Stanford 1979-83
Dillon, Terry (db) Montana 1963
Donahue, Oscar (e) San Jose 1962
Dugan, Bill (g) Penn State 1984
Dumler, Doug (c) Nebraska 1976-77
Edwards, Jimmy (rb) Northeast Louisiana 1979
Eischeid, Mike (p) Upper Iowa 1972-74
Eley, Clifton (te) Mississippi State 1987
Eller, Carl (de) Minnesota 1964-78
Elshire, Neil (dt) Oregon 1981-86
Evans, David (cb) Central Arkansas 1986-87
Farber, Hap (lb) Mississippi 1970
Faust, Paul (lb) Minnesota 1967
Feasel, Grant (t) Abilene Christian 1984-86
Ferguson, Bob (rb) Ohio State 1963
Ferguson, Charley (e) Tennessee State 1962
Finch, Steve (wr) Elmhurst 1987
Fitzgerald, Mike (db) Iowa State 1966
Flatley, Paul (e) Northwestern 1963-67
Foreman, Chuck (rb) Miami (Fla.) 1973-79
Fowlkes, Dennis (lb) West Virginia 1983-85
Franckhauser, Tom (db) Purdue 1962-63
Freeman, Steve (s) Mississippi State 1987
Galbreath, Tony (rb) Missouri 1981-83
Gallagher, Frank (g) North Carolina 1973
Gault, Billy (db) Texas Christian 1961
Gay, William (de) USC 1988
Gersbach, Carl (lb) West Chester 1971-72
Gilliam John (wr) South Carolina State 1972-75

Goodrich, Bob (e) Vanderbilt 1968
Goodrum, Charles (g) Florida A&M 1972-78
Grecni, Dick (lb) Ohio 1961
Greene, Marcellus (db) Arizona 1984
Grim, Bob (wr) Oregon State ... 1967-71; 1976-77
Groce, Ron (rb) Macalester 1976
Guggemos, Neal (db) St. Thomas 1986-87
Guilford, Larry (db) Pacific 1962
Hackbart, Dale (db) Wisconsin 1966-70
Haines, John (dt) Texas 1984
Haley, Dick (db) Pittsburgh 1961
Hall, Tom (wr) Minnesota 1964-66; 68-69
Hall, Windlan (db) Arizona State 1976-77
Hamilton, Wes (g) Tulsa 1976-85
Hannon, Tom (s) Michigan State 1977-84
Hansen, Don (lb) Illinois 1966-67
Hargrove, Jim (lb) Howard Payne 1967-70
Harrell, Sam (rb) East Carolina 1980-82; 87
Harris, Bill (rb) Colorado 1969-70
Harris, Darryl (rb) Arizona State 1988
Harris, Joe (lb) Georgia Tech 1979
Hartenstine, Mike (dt) Penn State 1987
Haslerig, Clint (wr) Michigan 1975
Hasselbeck, Don (te) Colorado 1984
Hawkins Rip (lb) North Carolina 1961-65
Hayden, Leo (rb) Ohio State 1971
Hayes, Ray (rb) Central Oklahoma 1961
Henderson, John (wr) Michigan 1968-72
Henderson, Wymon (db) UNLV 1987-88
Hernandez, Matt (t) Purdue 1984
Hilgenberg, Wally (lb) Iowa 1968-79
Hill, Gary (db) Southern California 1965
Hill, King (p-qb) Rice 1968
Hilton, John (te) Richmond 1970
Holland, John (wr) Tennessee State 1974
Holloway, Randy (dt) Pittsburgh 1978-83
Hough, Jim (ol) Utah State 1978-1986
Howard, Bryan (s) Tennessee State 1982
Hultz, Don (de) So. Mississippi 1963
Huth, Gary (g) Wake Forest 1961-63
Jackson, Harold (wr) 1983
Jackson, Joe (dt) New Mexico State 1977
Jenke, Noel (lb) Minnesota 1971
Jobko, Bill (lb) Ohio State 1963-65
Johnson, Charlie (nt) Colorado 1982-84
Johnson, Dennis (lb) USC 1980-85
Johnson, Gene (db) Cincinnati 1961
Johnson, Henry (lb) Georgia Tech 1980-82
Johnson, Sammy (rb) North Carolina 1976-77
Jones, Clinton (rb) Michigan State 1967-72
Jones, Mike (wr) Tennessee State 1983-85
Jones, Wayne (ol) Utah 1987
Jordan, Jeff (db) Tulsa 1965-67
Joyce, Don (de) Tulane 1961
Kapp, Joe (qb) California 1967-69
Kassulke, Karl (db) Drake 1963-72
Kellar, Mark (rb) Northern Illinois 1976-78
Keys, Brady (db) Colorado State 1967
King, Phil (rb) Vanderbilt 1965-66
Kingsriter, Doug (te) Minnesota 1973-75
Kirby, John (lb) Nebraska 1964-68
Knoff, Kurt (s) Kansas 1979-82
Koch, Greg (g) Arkansas 1987
Kosens, Terry (db) Hofstra 1963
Kramer, Kent (te) Minnesota 1969-70
Krause, Paul (s) Iowa 1968-79
Lacey, Bob (c) North Carolina 1964
Lamson, Chuck (db) Wyoming 1962-63
Langer, Jim (c) South Dakota State 1980-81
Lapham, Bill (c) Iowa 1961
Larsen, Gary (dt) Concordia 1965-74
Lash, Jim (wr) Northwestern 1973-76
Lawson, Steve (g) Kansas 1973-75
LeCount, Terry (wr) Florida 1979-83; 87
Lee, Bob (qb) Pacific 1969-72; 1975-78
Leo, Jim (de) Cincinnati 1961-62
Lester, Darrell (rb) McNeese 1964
Linden, Erroll (t) Houston 1962-65
Lindsey, Jim (rb) Arkansas 1966-72
Lingenfelter, Bob (t) Nebraska 1978
Livingston, Cliff (lb) UCLA 1962
Livingston, Mike (qb) Southern Methodist 1980
Louallen, Fletcher (s) Livingston 1987
Luce, Derrel (lb) Baylor 1979-1980
Lurtsema, Bob (de) Western Michigan 1972-76
Lush, Mike (s) East Stroudsburg 1986
MacDonald, Mark (g) Boston College 1985-88
Mackbee, Earsell (db) Utah State 1965-69
Manning, Archie (qb) Mississippi 1983-84
Marinaro, Ed (rb) Cornell 1972-75
Marshall, Jim (de) Ohio State 1961-79
Marshall, Larry (rs) Maryland 1974
Martin, Amos (lb) Louisville 1972-77
Martin, Billy (te) Georgia Tech 1968
Martin, Chris (lb) Auburn 1983-88
Mason, Tommy (rb) Tulane 1961-66
Maurer, Andy (g) Oregon 1974-75
May, Marc (te) Purdue 1987
Mayberry, Doug (rb) Utah State 1961-62
McClanahan, Brent (rb) Arizona State ... 1973-1980
McCormick, John (qb) Massachusetts 1962
McCullum, Sam (wr) Montana State 1974-75; 1982-83
McCurry, Mike (g) Indiana 1987
McDole, Mardye (wr) Mississippi State 1981-83
McElhenny, Hugh (rb) Washington 1961-62
McGill, Mike (lb) Notre Dame 1968-70
McKeever, Marlin (te) Southern California 1967
McNeil, Tom (p) Stephen F. Austin 1970
McNeill, Fred (lb) UCLA 1974-85
McQuaid, Dan (t) UNLV 1988
McWatters, Bill (rb) North Texas 1964
Meamber, Tim (lb) Washington 1985
Mercer, Mike (k) Arizona State 1961-62
Meylan, Wayne (lb) Nebraska 1970
Micech, Phil (de) Wisconsin-Platteville 1987
Michel, Tom (rb) East Carolina 1964
Middleton, Dave (e) Auburn 1961
Miller, Kevin (wr) Louisville 1978-80
Miller, Robert (rb) Kansas 1975-1980
Mitchell, Mel (g) Tennessee State 1980
Molden, Fred (dt) Jackson State 1987
Moore, Manfred (rb) Southern California 1977
Morrell, Kyle (s) BYU 1985-86
Morris, Jack (db) Oregon 1961
Mostardi, Rich (db) Kent State 1961
Mularkey, Mike (te) Florida 1983-88
Mullaney, Mark (de) Colorado State 1975-87
Munsey, Nelson (cb) Wyoming 1978
Murphy, Fred (e) Georgia Tech 1961
Myers, Frank (t) Texas A&M 1978-1980

VIKING ALUMNI/continued

Najarian, Pete (lb) Minnesota 1987
Niehaus, Steve (dt) Notre Dame 1979
Nord, Keith (s) St. Cloud State 1979-85
Norman, Tony (de) Iowa State 1987
O'Brien, Dave (g) Boston College 1963-64
Ori, Frank (g) Northern Iowa 1987
Osborne, Clancy (lb) Arizona State 1961-62
Osborn, Dave (rb) North Dakota 1965-75
Page, Alan (dt) Notre Dame 1967-78
Parks, Rickey (wr) Arkansas-Pine Bluff 1987
Paschal, Doug (rb) North Carolina 1980
Patton, Jerry (dt) Nebraska 1971
Payton, Eddie (kr) Jackson State 1980-82
Pentecost, John (g) UCLA 1967
Perreault, Pete (g) Long Beach State 1971
Pesonen, Dick (db) Minnesota-Duluth 1961
Peterson, Ken (c) Utah 1961
Phillips, Jim (e) Auburn 1965-67
Phillips, Joe (dt) SMU 1986
Ploeger, Kurt (dt) Gustavus Adolphus 1987
Poage, Ray (e) Texas 1963
Poltl, Randy (s) Stanford 1974
Porter, Ron (lb) Idaho 1973
Powers, John (te) Notre Dame 1966
Prestel, Jim (dt) Idaho 1961-65
Provost, Ted (db) Ohio State 1970
Pyle, Palmer (g) Michigan State 1964
Quinn, Kelly (lb) Michigan Statte 1987
Rabold, Mike (g) Indiana 1961-62
Randolph, Al (db) Iowa 1973
Rashad, Ahmad (wr) Oregon 1976-82
Reaves, John (qb) Florida 1979
Redwine, Jarvis (rb) Nebraska 1981-83
Reed, Bob (rb) Pacific 1962-63
Reed, Oscar (rb) Colorado State 1968-74
Reichow, Jerry (e) Iowa 1961-64
Reilly, Mike (lb) Iowa 1969
Rentzel, Lance (e) Oklahoma 1965-66
Rhymes, Buster (wr) Oklahoma 1985-87
Ricardo, Benny (k) San Diego State 1983
Richardson, Greg (wr) Alabama 1987-88
Riley, Steve (t) USC 1974-84
Robinson, Gerald (de) Auburn 1986-87
Roller, Dave (dt) Kentucky 1979-80
Rose, George (db) Auburn 1964-66
Rosnagle, Ted (s) Portland State 1985, 87
Rouse, Curtis (ol) Tennessee Chattanooga .. 1982-86
Rowland, Justin (db) Texas Christian 1961
Rubke, Karl (lb) Southern California 1961
Russ, Pat (dt) Purdue 1963
Sams, Ron (c) Pittsburgh 1984
Sanders, Ken (de) Howard Payne 1980-81
Scardina, John (t) Lincoln University 1987
Schenk, Ed (te) Central Florida 1987
Schmidt, Roy (g) Long Beach State 1970
Schmitz, Bob (lb) Montana 1966
Schnelker, Bob (e) Bowling Green 1961
Schuh, Jeff (lb) Minnesota 1986
Selesky, Ron (c) North Central College 1987
Sendlein, Robin (lb) Texas 1981-84
Senser, Joe (te) West Chester State 1979-84
Sharockman, Ed (db) Pittsburgh 1962-72
Shaw, George (qb) Oregon 1961
Shaw, Glenn (rb) Kentucky 1961
Shay, Jerry (dt) Purdue 1966-67
Sherman, Will (e) St. Mary's 1961
Shields, Lebron (de) Tennessee 1961
Siemon, Jeff (lb) Stanford 1972-1982
Simkus, Arnold (dt) Michigan 1967
Simpson, Howard (t) Auburn 1964
Smith, Gordon (te) Missouri 1961-65
Smith, Greg (dt) Kansas 1984
Smith, Lyman (dt) Duke 1978
Smith, Robert (de) Grambling 1985
Smith, Steve (de) Michigan 1968-70
Snead, Norm (qb) Wake Forest 1971
Spencer, Willie (rb) no college 1976
Starks, Tim (db) Kent State 1987
Steele, Robert (wr) North Alabama 1979
Stein, Bob (lb) Minnesota 1975
Stenerud, Jan (k) Montana State 1984-85
Stensrud, Mike (dt) Iowa State 1986
Stephanos, Bill (t) Boston College 1982
Stewart, Mark (lb) Washington 1983-84
Stonebreaker, Steve (lb) Detroit 1962-63
Sumner, Charley (db) William & Mary 1961-62
Sunde, Milt (g) Minnesota 1964-74
Sutherland, Doug (dt) Superior State 1971-1981
Sutton, Archie (t) Illinois 1965-67
Sverchek, Paul (dt) Cal-Poly SLO 1984
Swain, Bill (lb) Oregon 1964
Swain, John (cb) Miami, Fla. 1981-84
Swilley, Dennis (c) Texas A & M 1977-83; 85-87
Tarkenton, Fran (qb) Georgia ... 1961-66; 1972-78
Tatman, Pete (rb) Nebraska 1967
Tausch, Terry (g) Texas 1981-88
Teal, Willie (cb) LSU 1980-86
Tillemon, Mike (dt) Montana 1966
Tingelhoff, Mick (c) Nebraska 1962-78
Tobey, Dave (lb) Oregon 1966
Triplett, Mel (rb) Toledo 1961-62
Tucker, Bob (te) Bloomsburg St. 1977-1980
Turner, John (s) Miami, Fla. 1979-83; 85; 87
Turner, Maurice (rb) Utah State 1984-85
VanderKelen, Ron (qb) Wisconsin 1963-67
Vargo, Larry (db) Detroit 1964-65
Vaughan, Ruben (dt) Colorado 1984
Vella, John (t) Southern California 1980
Vellone, Jim (g) USC 1966-70
Voigt, Stu (te) Wisconsin 1970-1980
Waddy, Bill (wr) Colorado 1984
Wagoner, Don (db) Kansas 1984
Walden, Bobby (p) Georgia 1964-67
Walker, Jimmy (dt) Arkansas 1987
Wallace, Jackie (cb) Arizona 1973-74
Ward, John (g-c) Oklahoma State 1970-75

Warwick, Lonnie (lb) Tennessee Tech 1965-72
Washington, Gene (wr) Michigan State 1967-72
Washington, Harry (wr) Colorado State 1978
Webster, Kevin (c) Northern Iowa 1987
Wells, Mike (qb) Illinois 1973-74
West, Charlie (db) Texas El Paso 1968-73
White, Ed (g) California 1969-77
White, James (dt) Oklahoma St. 1976-83
White, Sammy (wr) Grambling 1976-86
Williams, A.D. (e) Pacific 1961
Williams, Jeff (rb) Oklahoma State 1966
Williams, Walt (cb) New Mexico State 1981-82
Willis, Leonard (wr) Ohio State 1976
Wilson, Brett (rb) Illinois 1987
Wilson, Tom (rb) no college 1963
Wilson, Wayne (rb) Shepherd 1986
Winfrey, Carl (lb) Wisconsin 1971
Winston, Roy (lb) Louisiana State 1962-76
Wise, Phil (s) Nebraska-Omaha 1977-79
Womack, Jeff (rb) Memphis State 1987
Woods, Mike (p) Missouri State 1978
Wright, Jeff (db) Minnesota 1971-77
Wright, Nate (cb) San Diego State 1971-1980
Yakavonis, Ray (dt) East Stroudsburg State . 1980-83
Yary, Ron (t) Southern California 1968-82
Young, Jim (rb) Queens Ontario 1965-66
Young, Rickey (rb) Jackson State 1978-84
Youso, Frank (t) Minnesota 1961-62
Zaunbrecher, Godfrey (c) Louisiana State .. 1971-73

Joe Kapp quarterbacked the Vikings in the late 60's and led the club all the way to the Super Bowl in 1969. He continues to hold the Viking team record with seven TD passes vs. Baltimore, 9/28/69; and his career average of 13.7-yards per completion also sits atop the Viking record book.

HONORS WON BY THE VIKINGS

NFL-MVP

1971 — Alan Page, dt (AP)
1975 — Francis Tarkenton, qb (AP, NEA, PFW, SN)

ALL-PRO

1963 — Tommy Mason, hb (AP, UPI, NEA)
1964 — Mick Tingelhoff, c (AP, UPI)
1965 — Mick Tingelhoff, c (AP, UPI, NEA)
1966 — Mick Tingelhoff, c (AP, UPI, NEA)
1967 — Mick Tingelhoff, c (UPI)
1968 — Mick Tingelhoff, c (AP, UPI, NEA); Carl Eller, de (AP, UPI, NEA)
1969 — Mick Tingelhoff, c (AP, UPI, NEA); Carl Eller, de (AP, UPI, NEA); Alan Page, dt (UPI)
1970 — Alan Page, dt (AP, NEA, PFWA); Carl Eller, de (AP, NEA, PFWA); Mick Tingelhoff, c (PFWA)
1971 — Alan Page, dt (AP, NEA, PFW); Carl Eller, de (AP, NEA, PFW); Ron Yary, t (AP, NEA, PFW); Paul Krause, db (NEA)
1972 — Ron Yary, t (AP)
1973 — Carl Eller, de (PFWA, AP, NEA); John Gilliam, wr (NEA); Alan Page, dt (AP, PFWA); Francis Tarkenton, qb (NEA); Ron Yary, t (AP, PFWA, NEA)
1974 — Alan Page, dt (PFWA, NEA, AP, PFW); Ed White, g (NEA); Ron Yary, t (PFWA, NEA, AP, PFW)
1975 — Chuck Foreman, rb (AP, NEA, PFWA); Paul Krause, s (AP, PFWA); Alan Page, dt (AP, PFWA); Francis Tarkenton, qb (AP, NEA, PFWA); Ed White, g (NEA); Ron Yary, t (AP, NEA, PFWA)
1976 — Ron Yary, t (AP, NEA, PFWA); Chuck Foreman, rb (NEA)
1980 — Matt Blair, lb (AP)
1982 — Doug Martin, de (PFW)
1987 — Joey Browner, s (AP, NEA, PFW, PFWA); Gary Zimmerman, t (AP, NEA, PFW, PFWA); Chris Doleman, de (NEA)
1988 — Joey Browner, s (AP, PFWA, PFW, CPFN, Sporting News, Sports Illustrated); Carl Lee, cb (AP, PFWA, PFW, CPFN, Sporting News); Keith Millard, dt (AP, PFWA, CPFN, Sporting News); Gary Zimmerman, t (AP, PFW, CPFN)

ALL-NFC

1970 — Mick Tingelhoff, c (AP); Carl Eller, de (AP, UPI); Alan Page, dt (AP, UPI); Paul Krause, s (UPI)
1971 — Carl Eller, de (AP, UPI, SN); Alan Page, dt (AP, UPI, SN); Ron Yary, t (AP, UPI, SN); Bob Grim, wr (UPI, SN); Paul Krause, db (UPI, SN)
1972 — Carl Eller, de (SN, AP); Paul Krause, db (UPI, AP, SN); Alan Page, dt (UPI, AP, SN); Francis Tarkenton, qb (UPI, SN); Ron Yary, t (UPI, AP, SN)
1973 — Carl Eller, de (PFWA, AP, UPI, SN); John Gilliam, wr (UPI, SN); Paul Krause, s (UPI, SN, AP, PFWA); Alan Page, dt (PFWA, AP, UPI, SN); Ron Yary, t (AP, PFWA, SN, UPI); Bobby Bryant, db (PFWA)
1974 — Chuck Foreman, rb (AP, UPI, SN, PFW); Alan Page, dt (AP, UPI, SN, PFW); Nate Wright, db (PFW); Ron Yary, t (AP, UPI, SN, PFW)
1975 — Carl Eller, de (AP, UPI); Chuck Foreman, rb (AP, UPI); Paul Krause, s (AP, UPI); Alan Page, dt (AP, UPI); Francis Tarkenton, qb (AP, UPI); Ed White, g (AP, UPI); Ron Yary, t (AP, UPI)
1976 — Sammy White, wr (UPI); Ron Yary, t (AP, UPI); Ed White, g (UPI); Fran Tarkenton, qb (UPI); Chuck Foreman, rb (AP, UPI); Alan Page, dt (AP, UPI)
1977 — Matt Blair, lb (SN); Chuck Foreman, rb (PFW, SN); Alan Page, dt (UPI); Sammy White, wr (PFW); Ron Yary, t (UPI, PFW, SN).
1978 — Matt Blair, lb (UPI, PFW); Sammy White, wr (UPI).
1979 — Ahmad Rashad, wr (UPI, PFW, SN); Matt Blair, lb (PFW)
1980 — Matt Blair, lb (UPI); Ahmad Rashad, wr (UPI)
1981 — Joe Senser, te (UPI)
1982 — Doug Martin, de (UPI, PFW)
1986 — Tommy Kramer, qb (UPI)
1987 — Joey Browner, s (UPI, PFW, FN); Chris Doleman, de (UPI, PFW, FN); Gary Zimmerman, t (UPI, PFW, FN); Steve Jordan, te (UPI); Anthony Carter, wr (FN)
1988 — Joey Browner, s (UPI); Carl Lee, cb (UPI); Gary Zimmerman, t (UPI)

ROOKIE OF THE YEAR

(NFL — 1963 Paul Flatley, wr (AP, UPI, NEA, SN); 1973 Chuck Foreman, rb (PFWA); 1976 Sammy White, wr (PFWA)

(NFL Offense) — 1973 Chuck Foreman, rb (PFWA); 1976 Sammy White, wr (PFWA, AP)

(NFC) — 1973 Chuck Foreman, rb (Wheaties); 1976 Sammy White, wr (UPI, SN, NEA)

NFL LINEMAN OF THE YEAR

1973 — Alan Page, dt (PFWA)

1000 YARD CLUB (For the outstanding blocker in the NFL)

1969 — Mick Tingelhoff
1975 — Ron Yary

PRO-BOWL PLAYERS

(Year designated is year in which game was played)

1961 — Hugh McElhenny, hb; Jerry Reichow. e; Norm Van Brocklin, coach; Harry Gilmer and Stan West, assistant coaches
1962 — Tommy Mason, hb
1963 — Tommy Mason, hb; Grady Alderman, t; Rip Hawkins, lb
1964 — Tommy Mason, hb; Grady Alderman, t; Mick Tingelhoff, c; Fran Tarkenton, qb, Bill Brown, rb.
1965 — Grady Alderman, t; Bill Brown, fb; Fran Tarkenton, qb; Mick Tingelhoff, c
1966 — Paul Flatley, e; Grady Alderman, t; Milt Sunde, g; Mick Tingelhoff, c.
1967 — Mick Tingelhoff, c; Grady Alderman, t; Bill Brown, fb
1968 — Mick Tingelhoff, c; Bill Brown, fb; Carl Eller, de; Jim Marshall, de; Alan Page, dt
1969 — Carl Eller, de; Joe Kapp, qb; Paul Krause, s; Gary Larsen, dt; Jim Marshall, de; Alan Page, dt; Gene Washington, wr; Mick Tingelhoff, c.
1970 — Fred Cox, k; Carl Eller, de; Karl Kasulke, s; Gary Larsen, dt; Dave Osborn, hb; Alan Page, dt; Gene Washington. wr
1971 — Carl Eller, de; Alan Page, dt; Paul Krause, db; Ron Yary, t; Bob Grim, wr
1972 — John Gilliam, wr; Paul Krause, db; Alan Page, dt; Ron Yary, t
1973 — Chuck Foreman, rb; John Gilliam, wr; Paul Krause, s; Alan Page, dt; Jeff Siemon, mlb; Ron Yary, t; *Carl Eller, de
1974 — Carl Eller, de; Chuck Foreman, rb; John Gilliam, wr; Paul Krause, s; Alan Page, dt; *Francis Tarkenton, qb; Ron Yary, t
1975 — Bobby Bryant, db; Chuck Foreman, rb; John Gilliam, wr; Paul Krause, s; Alan Page, dt; Jeff Siemon, lb; *Francis Tarkenton, qb; Ed White, g; Ron Yary, t
1976 — Jeff Siemon, lb; Ed White, g; Ron Yary, t; Sammy White, wr; *Chuck Foreman, rb; *Fran Tarkenton, qb; *Alan Page, dt
1977 — Matt Blair, lb; Chuck Foreman, rb; Jeff Siemon, lb; Ed White, g; Sammy White, wr; Ron Yary, t
1978 — Matt Blair, lb; Ahmad Rashad, wr
1979 — Matt Blair, lb; Ahmad Rashad, wr
1980 — Matt Blair, lb; Ahmad Rashad, wr
1981 — Matt Blair, lb; Ahmad Rashad, wr; *Joe Senser, te
1982 — Matt Blair, lb
1984 — Jan Stenerud, k
1985 — Joey Browner, special teams
1986 — Tommy Kramer, qb; Joey Browner, s; Steve Jordan, te
1987 — Joey Browner, s; Chris Doleman, de; Scott Studwell, lb; Anthony Carter, wr; Steve Jordan, te; Gary Zimmerman, t
1988 — Joey Browner, s; Chris Doleman, de; Carl Lee, cb; Keith Millard, dt; Scott Studwell, lb; Anthony Carter, wr; Steve Jordan, te; Wade Wilson, qb; Gary Zimmerman, t

*Excused from participation.

VIKING INDIVIDUAL RECORDS

SCORING

Career
1,365, Fred Cox
456, Bill Brown
450, Chuck Foreman

Season
132 Chuck Foreman, 1975
125 Fred Cox, 1970
121 Fred Cox, 1969

Game
24 Chuck Foreman vs Buf., 12/20/75
24 Ahmad Rashad vs SF., 9/2/79
18 (many times, most recently by) D.J. Dozier vs. Den., 10/25/87

Most Consecutive Games
151 Fred Cox (NFL record)

TOUCHDOWNS

Career
76 Bill Brown (52r, 23p, 1rt)
75 Chuck Foreman (52r, 23p)
53 Ted Brown (40r, 13p)

Season
22 Chuck Foreman, 1975 (13r, 9p)
16 Bill Brown, 1964 (7r, 9p)
15 Chuck Foreman, 1974 (9r, 6p)

Game
4 Chuck Foreman vs. Buf., 12/20/75 (2r, 2p)
4 Ahmad Rashad vs. SF., 9/2/79 (4p)
3 (many times, most recently by) D.J. Dozier vs. Den., 10/25/87 (3r)

TOUCHDOWNS PASSING

Career
239 Fran Tarkenton
152 Tommy Kramer
45 Wade Wilson

Season
26 Tommy Kramer, 1981
25 Fran Tarkenton, 1975
25 Fran Tarkenton, 1978

Game
7 Joe Kapp vs. Balt., 9/28/69
6 Tommy Kramer vs. Green Bay, 9/28/86
5 Tommy Kramer vs. Chi., 11/28/82

Most Consecutive Games
13 Fran Tarkenton (1 game 1974/12 games 1975)

TOUCHDOWNS RUSHING

Career
52 Chuck Foreman
52 Bill Brown
40 Ted Brown

Season
13 Chuck Foreman, 1975
13 Chuck Foreman, 1976
11 Bill Brown, 1964

Game
3 Tommy Mason vs. S.F., 10/24/65
3 Clinton Jones vs. Det., 11/15/70
3 Chuck Foreman vs. G.B., 9/15/74
3 Chuck Foreman vs. S.D., 11/23/75
3 D.J. Dozier vs. Den., 10/25/87

Longest
80t Clinton Jones vs. Chi., 11/2/69

TOUCHDOWNS RECEIVING

Career
50 Sammy White
34 Ahmad Rashad
28 Anthony Carter

Season
11 Jerry Reichow, 1961
10 Sammy White, 1976
9 (many times, most recently by) Ahmad Rashad, 1979

Game
4 Ahmad Rashad vs. S.F., 9/2/79
3 (many times, most recently by) Sammy White vs. Chicago, 11/28/82

Most Consecutive Games
4 Sammy White (1977, 1978)

Most Games One Season
8 Jerry Reichow, 1961
8 Bill Brown, 1964
8 Sammy White, 1977

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FIELD GOAL ATTEMPTS

Career
455 Fred Cox
106 Rick Danmeier
77 Chuck Nelson

Season
45 Fred Cox, 1970
35 Fred Cox, 1965
34 Fred Cox, 1973

Game
6 Fred Cox vs. Chi., 9/23/73
6 Fred Cox vs. Clev., 11/4/73
6 Fred Cox vs. N.O., 9/27/80
5 Fred Cox vs. G.B., 12/5/65
5 Fred Cox vs. G.B., 10/5/69
5 Jan Stenerud vs. Det., 9/23/84
5 Jan Stenerud vs. T.B., 12/8/85
5 Chuck Nelson vs. T.B., 11/15/87

Longest
54 Jan Stenerud vs. Atl., 9/16/84

Most Consecutive
15 Benny Ricardo, 1983

Most Consecutive Games
31 Fred Cox (1968-1970, NFL Record)

FIELD GOALS MADE

Career
282 Fred Cox
70 Rick Danmeier
55 Chuck Nelson

Season
30 Fred Cox, 1970
26 Fred Cox, 1969
25 Benny Ricardo, 1983

Game
5 Fred Cox vs. Chi., 9/23/73
5 Jan Stenerud vs. Det., 9/23/84
4 (many times, most recently by) Chuck Nelson vs. Ind., 11/20/88

PAT ATTEMPTS

Career
538 Fred Cox
167 Rick Danmeier
133 Chuck Nelson

Season
49 Chuck Nelson, 1988
48 Fred Cox, 1975
47 Chuck Nelson, 1986

Game
7 Fred Cox vs. Balt., 9/28/69
7 Fred Cox vs. Pitt., 11/23/69
7 Fred Cox vs. Hou., 10/13/74
7 Chuck Nelson vs. T.B., 10/23/88

PATS MADE

Career
519 Fred Cox
154 Rick Danmeier
128 Chuck Nelson

Season
48 Chuck Nelson, 1988
46 Fred Cox, 1975
44 Fred Cox, 1965
44 Chuck Nelson, 1986

Game
7 Fred Cox vs. Balt., 9/28/69
7 Fred Cox vs. Pitt., 11/23/69
7 Chuck Nelson vs. T.B., 10/23/88

PASSING ATTEMPTS

Career
4,569 Fran Tarkenton
3,512 Tommy Kramer
1,035 Wade Wilson

Season
593 Tommy Kramer, 1981
572 Fran Tarkenton, 1978
566 Tommy Kramer, 1979

Game
62 Steve Dils vs. T.B., 9/5/81
61 Tommy Kramer vs. N.E., 12/16/79
56 Fran Tarkenton vs. Phil., 12/3/78
56 Tommy Kramer vs. Jets, 12/26/82

PASSING COMPLETIONS

Career
2,635 Fran Tarkenton
1,934 Tommy Kramer
581 Wade Wilson

Season
345 Fran Tarkenton, 1978
322 Tommy Kramer, 1981
315 Tommy Kramer, 1979

Game
38 Tommy Kramer vs. Clev., 12/14/80
38 Tommy Kramer vs. G.B., 11/29/81
37 Steve Dils vs. T.B., 9/5/81

Most Consecutive Completions
16 Tommy Kramer vs. G.B., 11/11/79
14 Wade Wilson vs. Det., 11/6/88

PASSING YARDS

Career
33,098 Fran Tarkenton
23,869 Tommy Kramer
7,612 Wade Wilson

Season
3,912 Tommy Kramer, 1981
3,582 Tommy Kramer, 1980
3,522 Tommy Kramer, 1985

Game
490 Tommy Kramer vs. Wash., 11/2/86
456 Tommy Kramer vs. Clev., 12/14/80
449 Joe Kapp vs. Balt., 9/28/69

Most Consecutive Seasons 1,000-plus
18 Fran Tarkenton (NFL Record)

Most Consecutive Season 2,000-plus
15 Fran Tarkenton (NFL Record)

Longest
89t Fran Tarkenton — C. Ferguson vs. Chi., 11/11/62
85t Joe Kapp — G. Washington vs. S.L., 10/8/67

PASSING PERCENTAGE

Career
57.6 Fran Tarkenton
56.1 Wade Wilson
55.3 Archie Manning

Season - (150 attempts)
64.2 Fran Tarkenton, 1975 (273/425)
61.8 Fran Tarkenton, 1976 (255/412)
61.7 Fran Tarkenton, 1973 (169/274)

Game - (20 attempts)
83.9 Fran Tarkenton vs. Sea., 11/14/76 (26/31)
80.0 Wade Wilson vs. Det., 11/6/88 (28/35)
80.0 Joe Kapp vs. Atl., 9/14/68 (16/20)

Only 1 incompletion - (10 attempts)
94.2 Fran Tarkenton vs. Cin., 11/13/77 (17/18)
91.1 Bob Berry vs. K.C., 12/14/74 (11/12)

MOST PASSES HAD INTERCEPTED

Career
194 Fran Tarkenton
150 Tommy Kramer
47 Joe Kapp

Season
32 Fran Tarkenton, 1978
26 Tommy Kramer, 1985
25 Fran Tarkenton, 1962

Game
5 (many times, most recently by) Wade Wilson vs. Den., 10/26/87

Most Consecutive Attempts Without Interception
155 Fran Tarkenton, 11/7/77 to 12/5/77

RUSHING ATTEMPTS

Career
1,627 Bill Brown
1,529 Chuck Foreman
1,172 Dave Osborn

Season
280 Chuck Foreman, 1975
278 Chuck Foreman, 1976
274 Ted Brown, 1981

Game
33 Chuck Foreman vs. S.D., 11/23/75
33 Chuck Foreman vs. Det., 12/18/77
31 Ted Brown vs. T.B., 11/8/81

YARDS RUSHING

Career
5,879 Chuck Foreman
5,757 Bill Brown
4,546 Ted Brown

Season
1,155 Chuck Foreman, 1976
1,112 Chuck Foreman, 1977
1,070 Chuck Foreman, 1975

Game
200 Chuck Foreman vs. Phil., 10/24/76
179 Ted Brown vs. G.B., 10/23/83
156 Chuck Foreman vs. Det., 12/18/77

Longest
80t Clinton Jones vs. Chi., 11/2/69
73 Dave Osborn vs. S.F., 9/17/67
73t Clinton Jones vs. Atl., 11/28/71

RUSHING AVERAGE

Career - (100 attempts)
5.6 Fran Tarkenton (453)
4.5 Hugh McElhenny (170)
4.3 Darrin Nelson (912)

Season - (50 attempts)
6.6 Fran Tarkenton, 1964 (50)
6.4 Fran Tarkenton, 1965 (56)
6.1 Fran Tarkenton, 1966 (62)

Game - (10 attempts)
12.2 Tommy Mason vs. Balt., 11/17/63
9.1 Bill Brown vs. Chi., 9/29/68
8.9 Tommy Mason vs. Pitt., 10/18/64

RECEPTIONS

Career
400 Ahmad Rashad
393 Sammy White
339 Ted Brown

Season
88 Rickey Young, 1978
83 Ted Brown, 1981
80 Ahmad Rashad, 1979

Game
15 Rickey Young vs. N.E., 12/16/79
12 Bob Grim vs. Giants 10/31/71
12 Rickey Young vs. N.O., 9/3/78
12 Ted Brown vs. T.B., 9/5/81
12 Darrin Nelson vs. S.D., 10/20/85

Most Consecutive Games
78 Ahmad Rashad, 1977-82

Most by Wide Receiver
80 Ahmad Rashad, 1979

Most by Tight End
79 Joe Senser, 1981

Most by Rookie
51 Paul Flatley, 1963
51 Sammy White, 1976

RECEPTION YARDS

Career
6,400 Sammy White
5,489 Ahmad Rashad
3,654 Anthony Carter

Season
1,225 Anthony Carter, 1988
1,156 Ahmad Rashad, 1979
1,095 Ahmad Rashad, 1980

Game
210 Sammy White, vs. Det., 11/7/76
202 Paul Flatley vs. S.F., 10/24/65
188 Anthony Carter vs. Det., 11/6/88

Longest
89t Charley Ferguson from Tarkenton, 11/11/62
85t Gene Washington from Kapp, 10/8/67

AVERAGE/RECEPTION

Career - (50 minimum)
22.4 Gordon Smith
20.4 Hassan Jones
20.0 John Gilliam

Season - (25 minimum)
24.3 Anthony Carter, 1987 (38)
22.2 John Gilliam, 1974 (26)
22.0 John Gilliam, 1972 (47)

Game - (3 minimum)
53.0 Leo Lewis vs. Washington, 11/2/86
44.0 Hassan Jones vs. Dal., 11/13/88 (3)
43.3 Charley Ferguson vs. Chi., 11/11/62 (3)

KICKOFF RETURNS

Career
104 Eddie Payton
89 Clinton Jones
85 Billy Butler
85 Darrin Nelson

Season
53 Eddie Payton, 1980
53 Buster Rhymes, 1985
44 Jimmy Edwards, 1979

Game
7 Jimmy Edwards vs. St. L., 11/4/79
7 Darrin Nelson vs. Chi., 11/25/84
7 Darryl Harris vs. G.B., 10/16/88

KICKOFF RETURN YARDS

Career
2,353 Eddie Payton
2,209 Clinton Jones
1,994 Darrin Nelson

Season
1,345 Buster Rhymes, 1985 (NFL record)
1,184 Eddie Payton, 1980
1,103 Jimmy Edwards, 1979

Game
182 Buster Rhymes vs. Chi., 9/19/85
177 Bob Grim vs. St. L., 10/8/67
176 Eddie Payton vs. T.B., 11/16/80

Longest
101t Lance Rentzel vs. Balt., 11/14/65
99t Eddie Payton vs. Oak., 9/14/81

KICKOFF RETURN AVERAGE

Career - (25 minimum)
27.1 Bob Reed (26)
25.5 Charlie West (78)
25.1 Buster Rhymes (53)

Season - (1 per game)
26.3 John Gilliam, 1972 (14)
26.2 Lance Rentzel, 1965 (23)
26.1 Charlie West, 1968 (22)
26.1 Clinton Jones, 1969 (17)

Game - (3 minimum)
44.0 Jimmy Edwards vs. T.B., 11/25/79 (3)
42.8 Eddie Payton vs. Oak., 9/14/81 (4)
40.5 Clinton Jones vs. Giants, 11/51/67 (4)

PUNT RETURNS

Career
123 Charlie West
95 Leo Lewis
94 Eddie Payton

Season
58 Leo Lewis, 1988
48 Kevin Miller, 1978
47 Manfred Moore, 1977

Game
8 Kevin Miller vs. Rams, 12/2/79
7 Manfred Moore vs. G.B., 10/2/77
7 Kevin Miller vs. Buf., 12/9/79

PUNT RETURN YARDS

Career
961 Leo Lewis
820 Charlie West
733 Eddie Payton

Season
550 Leo Lewis, 1988
303 Eddie Payton, 1981
277 Manfred Moore, 1977

Game
107 Charlie West vs. Wash., 11/3/68
98 Leo Lewis vs. Atl., 11/22/87
98 Leo Lewis vs. Chi., 12/19/88

Longest
98t Charlie West vs. Wash., 11/3/68
81t Hugh McElhenny vs. Chi., 12/17/61

PUNT RETURN AVERAGE

Career - (25 minimum)
10.5 Tommy Mason
10.1 Leo Lewis
9.9 Billy Butler

Season - (14 minimum)
12.5 Leo Lewis, 1987
10.5 Billy Butler, 1963
10.4 Tommy Mason, 1961

Game - (3 minimum)
35.6 Charlie West vs. Wash., 11/3/68 (3)
24.5 Leo Lewis vs. Atl., 11/22/87 (4)
21.0 Anthony Carter vs. Phil., 12/1/85 (3)

RUSHING, RECEIVING, RETURNS — ATTEMPTS

Career
1,931 Bill Brown
1,867 Chuck Foreman
1,467 Ted Brown

Season
357 Ted Brown, 1981
354 Chuck Foreman, 1975
333 Chuck Foreman, 1976

Game
39 Ted Brown vs. T.B., 11/8/81 (31r, 8p)
37 Chuck Foreman vs. S.D., 11/23/75 (33r, 4p)
35 Chuck Foreman vs. Jets, 10/12/75 (25r, 9p, 1rt)

RUSHING, RECEIVING, RETURNS — NET YARDS

Career
9,237 Bill Brown
8,970 Chuck Foreman
8,211 Darrin Nelson

Season
1,765 Chuck Foreman, 1975 (1,070r, 691p, 4rt)
1,757 Ted Brown, 1981 (1,063r, 694p)
1,722 Chuck Foreman, 1976 (1,155r, 567p)

Game
278 Darrin Nelson vs. G.B., 11/13/83 (119r, 137p, 22rt)
271 Buster Rhymes vs. Chi., 9/14/85 (0r, 89p, 182rt)
265 Chuck Foreman vs. Phil., 10/24/76 (200r, 65p)

PUNTING ATTEMPTS

Career
721 Greg Coleman
258 Bobby Walden
225 Neil Clabo

Season
91 Greg Coleman, 1981
90 Greg Coleman, 1979
89 Bob Lee, 1971

Game
12 Greg Coleman vs. G.B., 11/28/82
10 Neil Clabo vs. Det., 12/26/76
10 Greg Coleman vs. Buf., 12/9/79

PUNTING YARDS

Career
29,391 Greg Coleman
11,067 Bobby Walden
8,997 Neil Clabo

Season
3,780 Greg Coleman, 1983
3,646 Greg Coleman, 1981
3,551 Greg Coleman, 1979

Game
489 Greg Coleman vs. G.B., 11/21/82 (12)
409 Neil Clabo vs. Det., 9/26/76 (10)
397 Greg Coleman vs. L.A. Raiders, 11/8/87 (9)

Longest
77 Mike Mercer vs. G.B., 9/16/62
76 Bobby Walden vs. Balt., 10/22/66

PUNTING AVERAGE

Career
42.9 Bobby Walden
41.0 King Hill
40.8 Greg Coleman

Season
46.4 Bobby Walden, 1964
43.5 Mike Mercer, 1962
42.8 Greg Coleman, 1985

Game - (4 punt minimum)
53.2 Greg Coleman vs. Balt., 12/12/82 (5)
52.4 Bobby Walden vs. S.F., 11/8/64 (5)
52.0 Bobby Walden vs. Balt., 11/15/64 (4)

INTERCEPTIONS

Career
53 Paul Krause
51 Bobby Bryant
40 Ed Sharockman

Season
10 Paul Krause, 1975
8 Bobby Bryant, 1969
8 Issiac Holt, 1986
8 Carl Lee, 1988

Game
3 (many times, most recently by) Willie Teal vs. Chi., 11/28/82

INTERCEPTION RETURN YARDS

Career
852 Paul Krause
804 Ed Sharockman
749 Bobby Bryant

Season
236 Charley West, 1971
201 Paul Krause, 1975
132 Ed Sharockman, 1970

Game
94 Walker Lee Ashley vs. Chi., 12/19/88
89 Charley West vs. Chi., 12/19/71
86 Bobby Bryant vs. G.B., 12/8/73

Longest
94 Walker Lee Ashley vs. Chi., 12/19/88
89 Charley West vs. Chi., 12/19/71

Career Returns for TD's
3 Bobby Bryant
3 Ed Sharockman
3 Rip Hawkins

SOLO TACKLES

Career
1,145 Scott Studwell
1,008 Jeff Siemon
986 Matt Blair

Season
170 Jeff Siemon, 1978
156 Scott Studwell, 1981
153 Scott Studwell, 1980

Game
16 Scott Studwell vs. S.F., 12/8/84
16 Scott Studwell vs. Det., 11/17/85
15 Scott Studwell vs. Balt., 12/12/82
15 Joey Browner vs. Chi., 10/27/85
15 Jesse Solomon vs. G.B., 12/11/88

ASSISTED TACKLES

Career
565 Scott Studwell
466 Matt Blair
383 Fred McNeill

Season
97 Scott Studwell, 1985
83 Scott Studwell, 1983
82 Joey Browner, 1985

Game
11 Matt Blair vs. N.O., 11/15/81
11 Matt Blair vs. G.B., 11/13/83
11 Scott Studwell vs. Chi., 12/11/83

TOTAL TACKLES

Career
1,710 Scott Studwell
1,452 Matt Blair
1,382 Jeff Siemon

Season
230 Scott Studwell, 1981
229 Jeff Siemon, 1978
220 Matt Blair, 1981

Game
24 Scott Studwell vs. Det., 11/17/85
20 Scott Studwell vs. Dal., 10/2/83
20 Matt Blair vs. G.B., 11/13/83
20 Scott Studwell vs. S.F., 12/8/84
20 Joey Browner vs. Chi., 10/27/85

SACKS

Career
134 Carl Eller
132½ Jim Marshall
113 Alan Page

Season
19 Alan Page, 1976
17 Carl Eller, 1977
15 Carl Eller, 1969

Game
5 Randy Holloway vs. Atl., 9/16/84
4 Jim Marshall vs. Rams, 11/7/65
4 Gary Larsen vs. Det., 10/6/68
4 Alan Page vs. Wash., 11/3/68
4 Doug Martin vs. G.B., 10/23/83
4 Keith Millard vs. Phil., 9/25/88

FUMBLE RECOVERIES (Opp.)

Career
29 Jim Marshall (NFL Record)
23 Carl Eller
19 Alan Page

Season
9 Don Hultz, 1963 (NFL Record)
6 Alan Page, 1970
5 Matt Blair, 1976
5 Fred McNeill, 1978
5 Joey Browner, 1985

Game
3 Joey Browner vs. S.F., 9/8/85 (NFL Record)
2 (many times, most recently by) Keith Millard vs. T.B. 11/15/87

Longest
88t Ed Sharockman vs. Det., 12/9/61
70t Paul Krause vs. S.D., 11/23/75

BLOCKED KICKS

Career
20 Matt Blair
16 Alan Page
9 Carl Eller

Season
5 Alan Page, 1976
5 Matt Blair, 1979
4 Matt Blair, 1977
4 Randy Holloway, 1979
4 Matt Blair, 1981

Game
2 Alan Page vs. Pitt., 10/4/76
2 Matt Blair vs. Dal., 10/7/79
2 Matt Blair vs. Oakland 9/14/81
2 Tim Irwin vs. Atl., 12/15/85
2 Neil Elshire vs. Wash. 11/2/86

Longest Blocked Punt for TD
28t Nate Allen vs. Giants, 10/17/76
23t Ed Sharockman vs. Dal., 10/18/70

MOST VICTORIES

Career
158 Bud Grant (1967-83, 1985)
29 Norm Van Brocklin (1961-66)
28 Jerry Burns (1986-88)

*NFL Record

ALL-TIME VIKING COACHES RECORD

	Won	Loss	Tie	Winning Percentage
Norm Van Brocklin: 6 seasons (1961-66)				
pre-season record	19	10	1	.650 (30 games)
regular-season record	29	51	4	.369 (84 games)
all-time record (inc. pre-season)	48	61	5	.443 (114 games)
Bud Grant: 18 seasons (1967-83; 85)				
pre-season record	54	35	1	.605 (90 games)
regular-season record	158	96	5	.620 (259 games)
post-season record	10	12	0	.455 (22 games)
all-time record (inc. pre-season)	222	143	6	.606 (371 games)
all-time record (exc. pre-season)	168	108	5	.607 (281 games)
Les Steckel: 1 season (1984)				
pre-season record	1	3	0	.250 (4 games)
regular-season record	3	13	0	.188 (16 games)
all-time record (inc. pre-season)	4	16	0	.200 (20 games)
Jerry Burns: 3 seasons (1986-88)				
pre-season record	8	4	0	.667 (12 games)
regular-season record	28	19	0	.596 (47 games)
post-season record	3	2	0	.600 (5 games)
all-time record (inc. pre-season)	39	25	0	.610 (64 games)
all-time record (exc. pre-season)	31	21	0	.596 (52 games)

TEAM SINGLE-GAME OFFENSE

FIRST DOWNS
34 vs. Balt., 9/28/69
33 vs. Det., 11/6/88
31 vs. Clev., 11/6/69

Fewest
5 vs. G.B., 11/14/71

FIRST DOWNS RUSHING
19 vs. Chi., 10/17/65
18 vs. Buf., 12/20/75
17 vs. Clev., 11/9/69
17 vs. Det., 11/11/73
17 vs. Mia., 12/11/76

Fewest
1 vs. Chi., 11/28/82
1 vs. Chi., 9/19/85
1 vs. G.B., 12/11/88

FIRST DOWNS PASSING
24 vs. Balt., 9/28/69
22 vs. Chi., 9/19/85
21 vs. Atl., 9/7/80
21 vs. Clev., 12/14/80
21 vs. T.B., 9/5/81

Fewest
1 vs. Det., 12/11/71

FIRST DOWNS PENALTY
6 vs. Raiders, 9/14/81
5 many times — most recently vs. T.B., 10/18/87

Fewest
0 many times

TOTAL OFFENSE (Plays)
94 vs. Jets, 12/26/82
92 vs. T.B., 9/5/81
91 vs. N.E., 12/16/79

Fewest
41 vs. Pitt., 11/4/62

TOTAL OFFENSE (Net Yards)
622 vs. Balt., 9/28/69
559 vs. S.F., 10/30/66
553 vs. Det., 11/6/88

Fewest
87 vs. G.B., 11/14/71

RUSHING PLAYS
63 vs. Atl., 11/9/75
55 vs. G.B., 11/27/77
53 vs. Chi., 12/5/70

Fewest
11 vs. G.B., 11/29/81

RUSHING YARDS
313 vs. Balt., 9/13/64
304 vs. Chi., 12/15/65
276 vs. Balt., 11/17/63

Fewest
22 vs. Det., 12/9/78

PASS ATTEMPTS
63 vs. T.B., 9/5/81
61 vs. N.E., 12/16/79
58 vs. Jets, 12/26/82

Fewest
8 vs. G.B., 11/27/77

PASS COMPLETIONS
38 vs. Clev., 12/14/80
38 vs. G.B., 11/29/81
37 vs. T.B., 9/5/81

Fewest
2 vs. G.B., 10/15/67

NET PASSING YARDS
530 vs. Balt., 9/28/69
471 vs. Wash. 11/2/86
455 vs. Clev., 12/14/80

Fewest
21 vs. G.B., 11/14/71
21 vs. Det., 12/11/71

PASS INTERCEPTIONS
5 many times — most recently by Denver, 10/25/87

Fewest
0 many times

QUARTERBACK SACKS
11 by Chi., 10/28/84
10 by Balt., 9/23/62
9 many times — most recently vs. Chi., 10/11/87

Fewest
0 many times

PUNTS
12 vs. G.B., 11/21/82
10 vs. Det., 9/26/76
10 vs. Buf., 12/9/79

Fewest
0 vs. Det., 11/7/76
0 vs. G.B., 9/27/81
0 vs Det., 11/3/85

FUMBLES
8 vs. S.F, 10/24/65
7 vs. G.B., 11/13/83
7 vs. T.B., 10/7/84

Fewest
0 many times

FUMBLES LOST
5 vs. Det., 12/9/62
5 vs. Atl., 12/21/69
4 many times — most recently vs. G.B., 10/16/88

Fewest
0 many times

PENALTIES
0 many times — most recently vs. Chi., 12/3/72

Most
16 vs. Det., 12/19/82

PENALTY YARDS
0 many times — most recently vs. Chi., 12/3/72

Most
173 vs. Rams, 9/22/67

POINTS SCORED
54 vs. Dal., 10/18/70
52 vs. Pitt., 11/23/69
52 vs. Balt., 9/28/69

Fewest
0 four times — most recently vs. Chi., 10/5/86

MARGIN OF VICTORY
48 vs. Clev., 11/9/69 (51-3)
42 vs. N.O., 12/4/88 (45-3)
41 vs. Dal., 10/18/70 (54-13)
41 vs. Hou., 10/13/74 (51-10)

Fewest
1 many times

FEWEST POINTS IN A WIN
3 vs. G.B., 11/14/71 (3-0)
7 vs. Det., 9/22/74 (7-6)
9 vs. G.B., 11/16/69 (9-7)
9 vs. T.B., 9/24/77 (9-7)

TOUCHDOWNS RUSHING
4 many times — most recently vs. T.B., 10/23/88

Fewest
0 many times

TOUCHDOWNS PASSING
7 vs. Balt., 9/28/69
6 vs. G.B., 9/28/86
5 vs. Hou., 10/13/74
5 vs. Chi., 11/28/82

Fewest
0 many times

FIELD GOALS
5 vs. Chi., 9/3/73
5 vs. Det., 9/23/84
4 many times — most recently vs. Ind., 11/20/88

Fewest
0 many times

POINTS AFTER TOUCHDOWNS
7 vs. Balt., 9/28/69
7 vs. Pitt., 11/23/69
7 vs. T.B., 10/23/88

Fewest
0 many times

TEAM SINGLE-GAME DEFENSE

FIRST DOWNS
3 by Det., 11/24/88
4 by Atl., 11/28/71
4 by Clev., 11/4/73

Most
31 by S.F., 10/15/61

FIRST DOWNS RUSHING
0 by S.F., 12/14/69
0 by Det., 11/24/88
1 by Det., 11/5/78
1 by Det., 11/9/80

Most
20 by S.F., 10/15/61

FIRST DOWNS PASSING
1 by Chi., 10/1/67
1 by S.F., 11/29/76
1 by Chi., 11/20/77

Most
19 by Dallas, 11/26/87

FIRST DOWNS PENALTY
7 by Chi., 9/25/78
5 by Rams, 11/5/65
5 by T.B., 11/30/86
5 by Chi., 12/6/87

Fewest
0 many times

TOTAL OFFENSE (Plays)
33 by Det., 11/24/88
39 by Clev., 11/9/69
40 by Chi., 12/13/64

Most
88 by Rams, 9/19/76
88 by Dal., 10/2/83

TOTAL OFFENSE (Net Yards)
60 by Atl., 11/9/75
60 by N.O., 11/16/75
60 by Det., 11/24/88

Most
576 by Balt., 12/16/62

RUSHING PLAYS
9 by T.B., 11/15/87
10 by Clev., 11/9/69
11 by Det., 11/24/88

Most
65 by Rams, 9/19/76

RUSHING YARDS
12 by S.F., 12/14/69
15 by T.B., 11/15/87
18 by Det., 11/24/88

Most
343 by Chi., 11/20/70

PASS ATTEMPTS
6 by Chi., 10/23/72
7 by Chi., 11/20/77
8 by S.F., 11/29/76

Most
56 by T.B., 11/16/80

PASS COMPLETIONS
2 by Chi., 12/3/72
3 by Chi., 12/18/66
3 by S.F., 11/29/76

Most
31 by S.F., 10/14/73

PASSING YARDS (Net)
-7 by N.O., 11/16/75
1 by Chi., 12/3/72
8 by Buf., 10/3/71

Most
486 by T.B., 12/7/80

PASS INTERCEPTIONS
6 vs. T.B., 10/23/88
5 many times — most recently vs. Det., 9/25/83

Fewest
0 many times

QUARTERBACK SACKS
9 vs. Chi., 11/2/69
9 vs. Atl., 12/20/70
8 many times — most recently vs. Phil., 9/25/88

Fewest
0 many times

PUNTS
12 by N.O., 11/16/75
11 by St.L., 10/19/69
10 many times — most recently by Phil., 9/25/88

Fewest
0 vs. G.B., 9/27/81

FUMBLES FORCED
11 vs. Det., 11/12/67
7 vs. Rams, 10/20/63
7 vs. Rams, 11/29/64
7 vs. Rams, 10/25/70
7 vs. Det., 11/9/80
7 vs. S.F., 9/8/85

Fewest
0 many times

FUMBLES RECOVERED
6 vs. S.F., 10/16/61
6 vs. Det., 11/24/63
5 vs. Det., 11/12/67
5 vs. Hou., 10/16/83
5 vs. S.F., 9/8/85

Fewest
0 many times

PENALTIES
16 by Raiders, 10/14/84
15 by Dal., 11/13/88
14 by Det., 10/21/84

Fewest
0 many times

PENALTY YARDS
140 by Raiders, 10/14/84
131 by Dal., 11/13/88
128 by Den., 10/25/87

Fewest
0 many times

POINTS SCORED
0 many times — most recently by Det., 11/24/88

Most
56 by St. L., 10/6/63

MARGIN OF LOSS
44 by S.F., 12/8/84 (7-51)
42 by St.L., 10/6/63 (14-56)
38 by Det., 12/12/81 (7-45)

Fewest
1 many times

TOUCHDOWNS RUSHING
5 by S.F., 10/15/61
4 many times — most recently by Phil., 9/14/80

Fewest
0 many times

TOUCHDOWNS PASSING
5 many times — most recently by Den., 11/18/84

Fewest
0 many times

FIELD GOALS
6 by Det., 11/13/66
5 by N.Y. Giants 11/16/86
4 many times — most recently by G.B., 10/16/88

Fewest
0 many times

POINTS AFTER TOUCHDOWN
8 by St.L., 10/6/63
7 by Chi., 12/17/61
6 many times — most recently by S.F., 9/8/83

Fewest
0 many times

TEAM SEASON OFFENSE

FIRST DOWNS
343 in 1981
324 in 1980
321 in 1986

Fewest
167 in 1982

FIRST DOWNS RUSHING
142 in 1975
137 in 1973
130 in 1965

Fewest
52 in 1982

FIRST DOWNS PASSING
217 in 1981
191 in 1980
189 in 1985

Fewest
85 in 1967

FIRST DOWNS PENALTY
35 in 1981
33 in 1980
33 in 1985

Fewest
8 in 1982

NET YARDS
5,845 in 1981
5,651 in 1986
5,595 in 1988

Fewest
2,879 in 1982

RUSHING ATTEMPTS
556 in 1975
551 in 1966
540 in 1976

Fewest
245 in 1982

RUSHING YARDS
2,279 in 1965
2,210 in 1973
2,183 in 1964

Fewest
912 in 1982

PASS ATTEMPTS
709 in 1981
592 in 1978
576 in 1985

Fewest
282 in 1968

PASS COMPLETIONS
382 in 1981
352 in 1978
331 in 1980

Fewest
150 in 1967

PASSING YARDS
4,333 in 1981
3,913 in 1986
3,789 in 1988

Fewest
1,655 in 1971

PASS PERCENTAGE
63.0 in 1975
61.1 in 1976
60.1 in 1973

Lowest
44.6 in 1967

INTERCEPTIONS
9 in 1973
10 in 1976
12 in 1964
12 in 1965
12 in 1982

Most
34 in 1978

FUMBLES
12 in 1982
15 in 1980
17 in 1969

Most
45 in 1963

FUMBLES LOST
3 in 1980
5 in 1982
10 in 1983

Most
25 in 1965

PENALTIES
36 in 1961 (375 yds.)
44 in 1962 (449 yds.)
51 in 1972 (440 yds.)

Most
118 in 1988 (998 yds.)

PENALTY YARDS
375 in 1961
440 in 1972
449 in 1962

Most
1,075 in 1967

POINTS SCORED
406 in 1988
398 in 1986
383 in 1965

Fewest
187 in 1982

TOUCHDOWNS
49 in 1988
48 in 1975
48 in 1986

Fewest
23 in 1982

TOUCHDOWNS PASSING
31 in 1986
27 in 1981
27 in 1975

Fewest
9 in 1971

TOUCHDOWNS RUSHING
22 in 1988
20 in 1987
19 in 1965
19 in 1968
19 in 1985

Fewest
6 in 1982

POINTS AFTER TOUCHDOWN ATTEMPTED
49 in 1988
48 in 1975
48 in 1986

Fewest
23 in 1982

POINTS AFTER TOUCHDOWN MADE
48 in 1988
46 in 1975
44 in 1965
44 in 1986

Fewest
23 in 1982

PUNTS
91 in 1983
90 in 1979
89 in 1971

Fewest
51 in 1965

PUNTING AVERAGE
46.4 in 1964
42.8 in 1985
42.7 in 1972

Lowest
36.1 in 1974

KICKOFF RETURN AVERAGE
24.0 in 1970
23.5 in 1969
23.4 in 1971

Lowest
18.0 in 1966

FIELD GOALS ATTEMPTED
45 in 1970
37 in 1969
35 in 1965

Fewest
14 in 1982

FIELD GOALS MADE
30 in 1970
26 in 1969
25 in 1983

Fewest
8 in 1977, 1982

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PUNT RETURN AVERAGE
13.4 in 1961
11.7 in 1987
11.6 in 1963

Lowest
3.0 in 1967

VICTORIES
12 in 1969
12 in 1970
12 in 1973
12 in 1975

Fewest
2 in 1962

CONSECUTIVE VICTORIES
12 in 1969
10 in 1975 (Season Start)
9 in 1973 (Season Start)

Fewest
1 many times

TEAM SEASON DEFENSE

FIRST DOWNS
158 in 1969
159 in 1982
168 in 1970

Most
342 in 1984

FIRST DOWNS RUSHING
53 in 1982
55 in 1969
68 in 1970

Most
148 in 1979

FIRST DOWNS PASSING
80 in 1977
82 in 1972
87 in 1982

Most
182 in 1984

FIRST DOWNS BY PENALTY
8 in 1962
10 in 1974
11 in 1970

Most
27 in 1987

NET YARDS
2,720 in 1969
2,807 in 1970
2,895 in 1982

Most
6,352 in 1984

RUSHING ATTEMPTS
260 in 1982
338 in 1969
383 in 1975

Most
583 in 1979

RUSHING YARDS
1,020 in 1982
1,089 in 1969
1,365 in 1970

Most
2,637 in 1961

PASS ATTEMPTS
292 in 1982
312 in 1977
314 in 1967

Most
499 in 1980

PASS COMPLETIONS
149 in 1967
149 in 1977
157 in 1982

Most
319 in 1984

PASSING YARDS
1,442 in 1970
1,561 in 1977
1,577 in 1976

Most
3,779 in 1984

PASS PERCENTAGE
45.6 in 1988
47.4 in 1967
48.0 in 1977

Highest
65.1 in 1984

INTERCEPTIONS
36 in 1988
30 in 1969
28 in 1970
28 in 1975

Fewest
11 in 1963
11 in 1984

FUMBLES FORCED
50 in 1963
38 in 1967
37 in 1985

Fewest
22 in 1979
22 in 1982

FUMBLES RECOVERED
31 in 1963
23 in 1961
23 in 1983

Fewest
8 in 1966

PENALTIES
123 in 1985 (1,000 yards)
113 in 1981 (981 yards)
113 in 1984 (1,079 yards)

Fewest
47 in 1972 (490 yards)

PENALTY YARDS
1,079 in 1984
1,013 in 1978
1,000 in 1985

Fewest
399 in 1982

POINTS SCORED
133 in 1969
139 in 1979
143 in 1970

Most
484 in 1984

TOUCHDOWNS
14 in 1970
14 in 1971
15 in 1973

Most
59 in 1984

TOUCHDOWNS PASSING
6 in 1970
8 in 1973
8 in 1969
8 in 1974
8 in 1976

Most
35 in 1984

TOUCHDOWNS RUSHING
2 in 1971
4 in 1969
4 in 1970

Most
29 in 1961

FIELD GOAL ATTEMPTS
13 in 1975
17 in 1971
17 in 1977

Most
41 in 1966

FIELD GOALS MADE
7 in 1969
7 in 1977
9 in 1975

Most
29 in 1985

POINTS AFTER TOUCHDOWN ATTEMPTED
13 in 1971
14 in 1970
15 in 1973

Most
59 in 1984

POINTS AFTER TOUCHDOWN MADE
13 in 1971
14 in 1970
14 in 1976

Most
58 in 1984

PUNTS
99 in 1969
96 in 1978
96 in 1988

Fewest
46 in 1961

PUNTING AVERAGE
34.7 in 1978
36.7 in 1969
37.1 in 1974
37.1 in 1977

Highest
43.9 in 1963

KICKOFF RETURN AVERAGE
16.9 in 1980
17.4 in 1974
17.9 in 1982

Highest
28.0 in 1963

PUNT RETURN AVERAGE
4.2 in 1967
5.7 in 1963
5.9 in 1982

Highest
12.1 in 1977

VICTORIES
2 in 1969
2 in 1970
2 in 1973
2 in 1975
2 in 1976

Most
13 in 1984

CONSECUTIVE LOSSES (opp.)
12 in 1969
10 in 1975
9 in 1973

Fewest
1 many times

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300-YARD PASSING GAMES

	YDS	COMP	ATT	TD	INT	TEAM W-L	PLAYER W-L
1 Fran Tarkenton vs. Chicago 9/20/64	311	22	34	4	0	0-1	0-1
2 Fran Tarkenton vs. San Francisco, 10/24/65	407	21	34	3	0	1-1	1-1
3 Fran Tarkenton vs. Los Angeles, 10/16/66	327	21	31	3	1	2-1	2-1
1 Joe Kapp vs. Baltimore, 9/28/69	449	28	43	7	0	3-1	1-0
4 Fran Tarkenton vs. Los Angeles, 11/19/72	319	14	28	4	0	4-1	3-1
5 Fran Tarkenton vs. New Orleans, 12/1/74	317	20	29	3	0	5-1	4-1
6 Fran Tarkenton vs. New Orleans, 11/16/75	307	25	39	3	2	6-1	5-1
7 Fran Tarkenton vs. Washington, 11/30/75	347	27	37	1	0	6-2	5-2
8 Fran Tarkenton vs. Detroit, 11/7/76	347	17	25	2	1	7-2	6-2
9 Fran Tarkenton vs. Oakland, 12/17/78	316	23	38	3	5	7-3	6-3
1 Tommy Kramer vs. New England, 12/16/79	308	35	61	1	1	7-4	0-1
2 Tommy Kramer vs. Atlanta, 9/7/80	395	30	42	3	1	8-4	1-1
3 Tommy Kramer vs. Tampa Bay, 11/16/80	324	24	37	2	0	9-4	2-1
4 Tommy Kramer vs. Cleveland, 12/14/80	456	38	49	4	0	10-4	3-1
1 Steve Dils vs. Tampa Bay, 9/5/81	361	37	62	1	1	10-5	0-1
5 Tommy Kramer vs. Detroit, 9/20/81	333	25	42	2	2	11-5	4-1
6 Tommy Kramer vs. San Diego, 10/11/81	444	27	43	4	2	12-5	5-1
7 Tommy Kramer vs. St. Louis, 10/25/81	343	25	55	2	2	12-6	5-2
8 Tommy Kramer vs. Atlanta, 11/23/81	330	24	47	4	4	12-7	5-3
9 Tommy Kramer vs. Green Bay, 11/29/81	384	38	55	2	5	12-8	5-4
10 Tommy Kramer vs. Chicago, 11/28/82	342	26	35	5	2	13-8	6-4
11 Tommy Kramer vs. N.Y. Jets, 12/26/82	328	32	56	2	2	13-9	6-5
2 Steve Dils vs. St. Louis, 10/30/83	314	27	38	3	3	13-10	0-2
3 Steve Dils vs. Green Bay, 11/13/83	303	21	37	0	1	13-11	0-3
12 Tommy Kramer vs. Tampa Bay, 10/7/84	386	27	47	2	2	13-12	6-6
13 Tommy Kramer vs. Chicago, 9/19/85	411	28	55	3	3	13-13	6-7
14 Tommy Kramer vs. San Diego, 10/20/85	311	31	46	2	2	14-13	7-7
15 Tommy Kramer vs. Tampa Bay, 12/8/85	309	21	36	0	2	15-13	8-7
16 Tommy Kramer vs. Atlanta, 12/15/85	315	22	43	0	2	15-14	8-8
17 Tommy Kramer vs. Philadelphia, 12/15/85	321	21	36	2	1	15-15	8-9
18 Tommy Kramer vs. San Fransisco, 10/12/86	322	26	41	2	1	16-15	9-9
19 Tommy Kramer vs. Washington, 11/2/86	490	20	35	4	1	16-16	9-10
1 Wade Wilson vs. Tampa Bay, 11/30/86	339	22	33	3	0	17-16	1-0
2 Wade Wilson vs. New Orleans, 12/21/86	361	24	39	3	0	18-16	2-0
3 Wade Wilson vs. Tampa Bay, 10/23/88	335	22	30	3	0	19-16	3-0
4 Wade Wilson vs. Detroit, 11/6/88	391	28	35	2	1	20-16	4-0

100-YARD RECEIVING GAMES

	NO	YDS	AVG	TD	TEAM W-L-T	PLAYER W-L-T
1 Jerry Reichow vs. Chicago, 9/17/61	3	103	34.3	1	1-0	1-0
1 Gordie Smith vs. San Francisco, 11/26/61	3	123	41.0	1	1-1	0-1
2 Jerry Reichow vs. Los Angeles, 12/3/61	6	112	18.7	2	2-1	2-0
1 Hugh McElhenny vs. Green Bay, 10/14/62	5	118	23.6	0	2-2	0-1
1 Tommy Mason vs. Los Angeles, 11/25/62	5	119	23.8	2	2-2-1	1-0
2 Tommy Mason vs. Philadelphia, 10/28/62	4	113	28.2	2	3-2-1	1-1
1 Charley Ferguson vs. Pittsburgh, 11/3/62	4	106	26.5	2	3-3-1	0-1
2 Charley Ferguson vs. Chicago, 11/11/62	3	130	43.3	3	3-4-1	0-2
1 Ray Poage vs. San Francisco, 9/29/63	4	137	34.3	2	4-4-1	1-0
2 Ray Poage vs. Green Bay, 10/13/63	3	106	35.3	0	4-5-1	1-1
1 Paul Flatley vs. Green Bay, 11/10/63	3	107	35.7	1	4-6-1	0-1
2 Paul Flatley vs. Baltimore, 11/17/63	7	156	22.3	1	4-7-1	0-2
3 Paul Flatley vs. Detroit, 11/24/63	6	174	29.0	1	5-7-1	1-2
1 Tom Hall vs. Green Bay, 10/4/64	7	103	14.7	1	6-7-1	1-0
1 Bill Brown vs. Chicago, 12/13/64	3	128	42.7	1	7-7-1	1-0
4 Paul Flatley vs. San Francisco, 10/24/65	7	202	28.9	2	8-7-1	2-2
5 Paul Flatley vs. Los Angeles, 11/7/65	5	105	21.0	1	9-7-1	3-2
6 Paul Flatley vs. Green Bay, 11/21/65	6	133	22.2	1	9-8-1	3-3
7 Paul Flatley vs. Chicago, 10/2/66	5	118	23.6	1	9-9-1	3-4
1 Jim Phillips vs. Los Angeles, 10/16/66	6	142	23.7	1	10-9-1	1-0
2 Bill Brown vs. St. Louis, 10/8/67	3	109	36.3	0	10-10-1	1-1
1 Gene Washington vs. Chicago, 10/27/68	6	133	22.2	2	10-11-1	0-1
2 Gene Washington vs. N.Y. Giants, 9/21/69	7	152	21.7	1	10-12-1	0-2
3 Gene Washington vs. Baltimore, 9/28/69	6	172	28.7	2	11-12-1	1-2
4 Gene Washington vs. Cleveland, 11/9/69	7	119	17.0	3	12-12-1	2-2
5 Gene Washington vs. Chicago, 10/11/70	8	122	15.3	1	13-12-1	3-2
6 Gene Washington vs. Boston, 12/13/70	7	101	14.4	1	14-12-1	4-2
1 John Henderson vs. Boston, 12/13/70	8	137	17.0	1	14-12-1	1-0
2 John Henderson vs. Atlanta, 12/20/70	7	129	18.4	0	15-12-1	2-0
1 Bob Grim vs. Detroit, 9/20/71	7	126	18.0	1	16-12-1	1-0
2 Bob Grim vs. Green Bay, 10/17/71	7	101	14.4	1	17-12-1	2-0
1 John Gilliam vs. Detroit, 9/24/72	4	109	27.3	1	18-12-1	1-0
2 John Gilliam vs. Green Bay, 10/29/72	5	106	21.2	0	19-12-1	2-0
3 John Gilliam vs. New Orleans, 11/5/72	4	111	27.8	1	20-12-1	3-0
3 Bill Brown vs. Los Angeles, 11/19/72	5	116	23.2	2	21-12-1	2-1
4 John Gilliam vs. Los Angeles, 11/19/72	4	105	26.3	1	21-12-1	4-0
5 John Gilliam vs. Chicago, 12/3/72	5	111	22.2	0	22-12-1	5-0
6 John Gilliam vs. San Francisco, 10/14/73	7	107	15.3	1	23-12-1	6-0
7 John Gilliam vs. Philadelphia, 10/21/73	6	116	19.3	1	24-12-1	7-0
8 John Gilliam vs. Detroit, 11/11/73	5	129	25.8	1	25-12-1	8-0
9 John Gilliam vs. Chicago, 11/25/73	5	139	27.8	2	26-12-1	9-0
1 Chuck Foreman vs. Dallas, 10/6/74	5	131	26.2	2	27-12-1	1-0
10 John Gilliam vs. Houston, 10/13/74	2	102	51.0	1	28-12-1	10-0
1 Jim Lash vs. Green Bay, 10/17/74	6	136	22.7	0	29-12-1	1-0
11 John Gilliam vs. New England, 10/27/74	5	117	23.4	0	29-13-1	10-1
12 John Gilliam vs. New Orleans, 12/1/74	5	109	21.8	2	30-13-1	11-1
2 Jim Lash vs. New Orleans, 12/1/74	3	112	37.3	0	31-13-1	2-0
1 Sam McCullum vs. Kansas City, 12/14/74	6	118	19.7	2	32-13-1	1-0
2 Chuck Foreman vs. Chicago, 10/12/75	9	105	11.7	2	33-13-1	2-0
13 John Gilliam vs. New Orleans, 11/16/75	6	139	23.2	2	33-13-1	12-1

3 Chuck Foreman vs. New Orleans, 9/12/76	7	106	15.1	0	34-13-1	3-0
1 Sammy White vs. Los Angeles, 9/19/76	9	139	15.4	1	34-13-2	0-0-1
1 Ahmad Rashad vs. Chicago, 10/10/76	7	109	15.6	0	35-13-2	1-0
4 Chuck Foreman vs. N.Y. Giants, 10/17/76	8	118	14.8	1	36-13-2	4-0
2 Sammy White vs. Detroit, 11/7/76	7	210	30.0	2	37-13-2	1-0-1
2 Ahmad Rashad vs. San Francisco, 11/19/76	6	103	17.2	1	37-14-2	1-1
3 Sammy White vs. Miami, 11/11/76	9	120	13.3	3	38-14-2	2-0-1
4 Sammy White vs. Detroit, 10/9/77	4	104	26.0	2	39-14-2	3-0-1
3 Ahmad Rashad vs. San Francisco, 12/4/77	7	121	17.3	1	40-14-2	2-1
4 Ahmad Rashad vs. Detroit, 12/18/77	8	139	17.4	1	41-14-2	3-1
1 Rickey Young vs. New Orleans, 9/3/78	12	134	11.2	2	41-15-2	0-1
5 Ahmad Rashad vs. Philadelphia, 12/3/78	9	107	11.9	1	42-15-2	4-1
6 Ahmad Rashad vs. Oakland, 12/17/78	5	115	23.0	2	42-16-2	4-2
7 Ahmad Rashad vs. San Francisco, 9/2/79	7	152	21.7	4	43-16-2	5-2
8 Ahmad Rashad vs. Green Bay, 9/23/79	9	136	15.1	2	44-16-2	6-2
5 Sammy White vs. Detroit, 9/30/79	6	100	16.7	0	45-16-2	4-0-1
6 Sammy White vs. Dallas, 10/7/79	7	131	18.7	1	45-17-2	4-1-1
9 Ahmad Rashad vs. Tampa Bay, 10/28/79	7	117	16.7	0	45-18-2	6-3
10 Ahmad Rashad vs. Los Angeles, 12/2/79	6	102	17.0	1	45-19-2	6-4
2 Rickey Young vs. New England, 12/16/79	15	116	7.7	1	45-20-2	0-2
11 Ahmad Rashad vs. Atlanta, 9/7/80	11	160	14.5	0	46-20-2	7-4
1 Ted Brown vs. Detroit, 11/9/80	9	140	15.6	1	47-20-2	1-0
7 Sammy White vs. Tampa Bay, 11/16/80	6	120	20.0	1	48-20-2	5-1-1
12 Ahmad Rashad vs. Cleveland, 12/14/80	9	142	15.8	2	49-20-2	8-4
8 Sammy White vs. Oakland, 9/14/81	7	140	20.0	0	49-21-2	5-2-1
2 Ted Brown vs. Detroit, 9/20/81	9	115	12.8	1	50-21-2	2-0
1 Terry LeCount vs. San Diego, 10/11/81	6	120	20.0	2	51-21-2	1-0
3 Ted Brown vs. San Diego, 10/11/81	5	109	21.8	1	51-21-2	3-0
1 Joe Senser vs. San Diego, 10/11/81	7	100	14.3	1	51-21-2	1-0
9 Sammy White vs. St. Louis, 10/25/81	7	120	17.1	2	51-22-2	5-3-1
2 Joe Senser vs. St. Louis, 10/25/81	5	100	20.0	0	51-22-2	1-1
3 Joe Senser vs. Tampa Bay, 11/8/81	8	101	12.6	0	52-22-2	2-1
13 Ahmad Rashad vs. Atlanta, 11/23/81	9	151	16.8	2	52-23-2	8-5
10 Sammy White vs. Chicago, 12/6/81	8	112	14.0	0	52-24-2	5-4-1
11 Sammy White vs. Buffalo, 9/16/82	9	142	15.8	0	52-25-2	5-5-1
12 Sammy White vs. Chicago, 11/28/82	10	177	17.7	3	53-25-2	6-5-1
4 Joe Senser vs. N.Y. Jets, 12/26/82	10	115	11.5	0	53-26-2	2-2
2 Terry LeCount vs. San Francisco, 9/8/83	5	107	21.4	1	53-27-2	1-1
13 Sammy White vs. Dallas, 10/2/83	3	107	35.6	2	53-28-2	6-6-1
1 Tony Galbreath vs. Tampa Bay, 11/6/83	11	110	10.0	0	53-28-2	0-1
1 Darrin Nelson vs. Green Bay, 11/13/83	7	137	19.5	0	53-30-2	0-1
1 Leo Lewis vs. Detroit, 9/23/84	5	101	20.2	0	54-30-2	1-0
1 Mike Jones vs. Tampa Bay, 10/7/84	6	110	18.3	0	55-30-2	1-0
2 Mike Jones vs. L.A. Raiders, 10/14/84	5	132	26.4	1	55-31-2	1-1
2 Leo Lewis vs. Washington, 11/29/84	7	130	18.6	2	55-32-2	1-1
1 Anthony Carter vs. Chicago, 9/19/85	4	102	25.5	2	55-33-2	0-1
2 Anthony Carter vs. Detroit, 11/17/85	6	102	17.0	2	55-34-2	0-2
3 Anthony Carter vs. Philadelphia, 12/1/85	5	124	24.8	2	56-34-2	1-2
3 Mike Jones vs. Tampa Bay, 12/8/85	4	104	26.0	0	57-34-2	2-1
4 Anthony Carter vs. Atlanta, 12/15/85	7	144	20.6	1	57-35-2	1-3
5 Anthony Carter vs. Philadelphia, 12/22/85	6	132	22.0	0	57-36-2	1-4
1 Hassan Jones vs. Pittsburgh, 9/21/86	6	140	23.3	2	58-36-2	1-0
2 Hassan Jones vs. Green Bay, 9/28/86	6	106	17.6	2	59-36-2	2-0
1 Steve Jordan vs. Green Bay, 9/28/86	6	112	18.6	2	59-36-2	1-0
3 Leo Lewis vs. Washington, 11/2/86	3	159	53.0	2	59-37-2	1-2
2 Steve Jordan vs. Washington, 11/2/86	6	179	29.8	1	59-37-2	1-1
6 Anthony Carter vs. Detroit, 11/9/86	5	111	22.2	1	60-37-2	2-4

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	NO	YDS	AVG	TD	TEAM W-L-T	PLAYER W-L-T
3 Hassan Jones vs. New Orleans, 12/21/86	5	100	20.0	0	61-37-2	3-0
7 Anthony Carter vs. L.A. Rams, 9/20/87	4	117	29.3	1	62-37-2	3-4
1 James Brim vs. Green Bay, 10/4/87	6	144	24.0	1	62-38-2	0-1
8 Anthony Carter vs. Dallas, 11/26/87	8	184	23.0	2	63-38-2	4-4
9 Anthony Carter vs. Chicago 12/6/87	3	106	35.3	2	63-39-2	4-5
10 Anthony Carter vs. Philadelphia, 9/25/88	6	113	18.8	0	64-39-2	5-5
11 Anthony Carter vs. Tampa Bay, 10/23/88	6	123	20.5	1	65-39-2	6-5
12 Anthony Carter vs. Detroit, 11/6/88	8	188	23.5	0	66-39-2	7-5
4 Hassan Jones vs. Dallas, 11/13/88	3	132	44.0	2	67-39-2	4-0

100-YARD RUSHING GAMES

	ATT	YDS	AVG	TD	TEAM W-L	PLAYER W-L
1 Ray Hayes vs. Los Angeles, 12/3/61	18	123	6.8	1	1-0	1-0
1 Mel Triplett vs. Chicago, 12/17/61	15	121	8.1	0	1-1	0-1
1 Tommy Mason vs. Detroit, 12/9/62	16	138	8.6	0	1-2	0-1
2 Tommy Mason vs. Baltimore, 12/16/62	20	143	7.2	0	1-3	0-2
3 Tommy Mason vs. Baltimore, 11/17/63	12	146	12.2	1	1-4	0-3
4 Tommy Mason vs. Baltimore, 9/13/64	20	137	6.9	1	2-4	1-3
1 Bill Brown vs. Baltimore, 9/13/64	20	103	5.2	0	2-4	1-0
5 Tommy Mason vs. Pittsburgh, 10/18/64	14	124	8.9	0	3-4	2-3
2 Bill Brown vs. Baltimore, 11/16/64	19	106	5.6	0	3-5	1-1
3 Bill Brown vs. N.Y. Giants, 12/6/64	18	103	5.7	0	4-5	2-1
4 Bill Brown vs. Chicago, 10/16/65	15	117	7.8	0	4-6	2-2
5 Bill Brown vs. Cleveland, 10/31/65	26	138	5.3	0	5-6	3-2
6 Tommy Mason vs. Green Bay, 12/5/65	21	101	4.8	0	5-7	2-4
6 Bill Brown vs. Dallas, 9/25/66	20	115	5.8	0	5-8	3-3
1 Dave Osborn vs. Chicago, 12/18/66	19	118	6.2	0	5-9	0-1
2 Dave Osborn vs. Atlanta, 10/29/67	22	103	4.7	0	5-10	0-2
3 Dave Osborn vs. N.Y. Giants, 11/5/67	16	115	7.2	0	6-10	1-2
4 Dave Osborn vs. Green Bay, 12/3/67	21	155	7.4	1	6-11	1-3
1 Clinton Jones vs. Atlanta, 9/14/68	17	101	6.0	0	7-11	1-0
7 Bill Brown vs. Chicago, 9/29/68	12	109	9.1	1	7-12	3-4
5 Dave Osborn vs. Chicago, 10/12/69	15	106	7.1	1	8-12	2-3
6 Dave Osborn vs. Chicago, 12/5/70	29	139	4.8	0	9-12	3-3
2 Clinton Jones vs. Atlanta, 11/28/71	22	155	7.0	1	10-12	2-0
1 Oscar Reed vs. Detroit, 11/12/72	23	124	5.4	1	11-12	1-0
1 Chuck Foreman vs. Chicago, 9/23/73	16	116	7.3	0	12-12	1-0
2 Chuck Foreman vs. Detroit, 10/7/73	16	114	7.1	0	13-12	2-0
8 Bill Brown vs. Detroit, 11/11/73	19	101	5.3	1	14-12	4-4
3 Chuck Foreman vs. Green Bay, 12/8/73	19	100	5.3	1	15-12	3-0
4 Chuck Foreman vs. Detroit, 10/19/75	22	107	4.9	0	16-12	4-0
5 Chuck Foreman vs. Chicago, 10/27/75	26	102	4.0	1	17-12	5-0
6 Chuck Foreman vs. Atlanta, 11/9/75	26	102	4.0	2	18-12	6-0
7 Chuck Foreman vs. New Orleans, 11/16/75	24	117	4.9	0	19-12	7-0
8 Chuck Foreman vs. San Diego, 11/23/75	33	127	3.8	3	20-12	8-0

	ATT	YDS	AVG	TD	TEAM W-L	PLAYER W-L
9 Chuck Foreman vs. Pittsburgh, 10/4/76	27	148	5.5	2	21-12	9-0
10 Chuck Foreman vs. Philadelphia, 10/24/76	28	200	7.1	2	22-12	10-0
11 Chuck Foreman vs. Seattle, 11/14/76	17	100	5.9	0	23-12	11-0
12 Chuck Foreman vs. Chicago, 10/16/77	26	150	5.8	1	24-12	12-0
13 Chuck Foreman vs. Cincinnati, 11/13/77	29	133	4.6	2	25-12	13-0
14 Chuck Foreman vs. Green Bay, 11/27/77	26	101	3.9	0	26-12	14-0
15 Chuck Foreman vs. Detroit, 12/18/77	33	156	4.7	2	27-12	15-0
16 Chuck Foreman vs. New Orleans, 9/3/78	18	122	6.8	1	27-13	15-1
17 Chuck Foreman vs. Dallas, 10/26/78	22	101	4.6	0	28-13	16-1
1 Ted Brown vs. Chicago, 9/21/80	22	113	5.1	2	29-13	1-0
2 Ted Brown vs. Green Bay, 9/27/81	21	109	5.2	0	30-13	2-0
3 Ted Brown vs. Tampa Bay, 11/8/81	31	129	4.2	1	31-13	3-0
4 Ted Brown vs. Atlanta, 11/23/81	16	108	6.8	0	31-14	3-1
5 Ted Brown vs. Dallas, 1/3/83	29	100	3.4	1	32-14	4-1
1 Tony Galbreath vs. Chicago, 10/9/83	16	104	6.5	1	33-14	1-0
6 Ted Brown vs. Green Bay, 10/23/83	29	179	6.1	1	34-14	5-1
1 Darrin Nelson vs. Green Bay, 11/13/83	16	119	7.4	0	34-15	0-1
1 Alfred Anderson vs. Philadelphia, 9/9/84	20	105	5.3	1	34-16	0-1
2 Alfred Anderson vs. Detroit, 9/23/84	19	120	6.3	0	35-16	1-1
2 Darrin Nelson vs. Detroit, 11/3/85	25	122	4.8	0	36-16	1-1
3 Darrin Nelson vs. Green Bay, 11/10/85	21	146	7.0	1	36-17	1-2
4 Darrin Nelson vs. Cleveland, 10/26/86	22	118	5.4	1	36-18	1-3
5 Darrin Nelson vs. Tampa Bay, 11/15/86	17	103	6.1	0	37-18	2-3
6 Darrin Nelson vs. Dallas, 11/26/87	16	118	7.4	2	38-18	3-3

VIKING LEADERS, YEAR-BY-YEAR

	PASSING	Att-CompYds	RUSHING	Att-Yds	RECEIVING	No. Yds
1961	Tarkenton	280-157-1997	McElhenny	120-570	Reichow	50-859
1962	Tarkenton	329-163-2595	Mason	167-740	Reichow	39-561
1963	Tarkenton	297-170-2311	Mason	166-763	Flatley	51-867
1964	Tarkenton	306-171-2506	Brown	226-866	Brown	48-703
1965	Tarkenton	329-171-2609	Brown	160-699	Flatley	50-896
1966	Tarkenton	358-192-2561	Brown	251-829	Flatley	50-777
1967	Kapp	214-102-1386	Osborn	215-972	Osborn	34-282
1968	Kapp	248-129-1699	Brown	222-805	Washington	46-756
1969	Kapp	237-120-1726	Osborn	186-643	Washington	39-821
1970	Cuozzo	257-128-1720	Osborn	207-681	Washington	44-702
1971	Cuozzo	168-75-842	Jones	180-675	Grim	45-691
1972	Tarkenton	378-215-2651	Reed	151-639	Gilliam	47-1035
1973	Tarkenton	274-169-2113	Foreman	182-801	Gilliam	42-907
1974	Tarkenton	351-199-2598	Foreman	199-777	Foreman	53-586
1975	Tarkenton	425-273-2994	Foreman	280-1070	Foreman	73-691
1976	Tarkenton	412-255-2961	Foreman	278-1155	Foreman	55-567
1977	Tarkenton	258-155-1734	Foreman	270-1112	Rashad	51-681
1978	Tarkenton	572-345-3468	Foreman	237-749	Young	88-704
1979	Kramer	566-315-3397	Young	188-708	Rashad	80-1156
1980	Kramer	522-299-3582	Brown	219-912	Rashad	69-1095
1981	Kramer	593-322-3912	Brown	274-1063	Brown	83-694
1982	Kramer	308-176-2037	Brown	120-515	Brown	31-207
1983	Dils	444-239-2840	D. Nelson	154-642	D. Nelson	51-618
1984	Kramer	236-124-1678	Anderson	201-773	Lewis	47-830
1985	Kramer	506-277-3522	D. Nelson	200-893	Jordan	68-795
1986	Kramer	372-208-3000	D. Nelson	191-793	Jordan	58-859
1987	Wilson	264-140-2106	D. Nelson	131-642	Carter	38-922
1988	Wilson	332-204-2746	D. Nelson	112-380	Carter	72-1225

	INTERCEPTIONS	No.	SCORING	Pts.	PUNTING	No. AVG.
1961	Hawkins	5	Reichow	66	Mercer	63-39.0
1962	Sharockman	6	Christopherson	61	Mercer	19-43.5
1963	Sharockman	5	Cox	75	Cox	70-38.7
1964	Rose	6	Cox	103	Walden	72-46.4
1965	Sharockman	6	Cox	113	Walden	51-42.1
1966	Hackbart	5	Cox	88	Walden	60-41.1
1967	Mackbee	5	Cox	77	Walden	75-41.6
1968	Krause	7	Cox	88	Hill	33-41.0
1969	Bryant	8	Cox	121	Lee	67-40.0
1970	Sharockman	7	Cox	125	McNeill	61-38.0
1971	West	7	Cox	91	Lee	89-39.5
1972	Krause	6	Cox	97	Eischeid	62-42.7
1973	Bryant	7	Cox	96	Eischeid	66-39.8
1974	N. Wright	6	Foreman	90	Eischeid	73-36.1
1975	Krause	10	Foreman	132	Clabo	73-41.1
1976	N. Wright	7	Cox	89	Clabo	69-38.8
1977	Bryant	4	S. White, Foreman	54	Clabo	83-39.8
1978	Bryant	7	Danmeier	72	Coleman	51-39.0
1979	Hannon, N. Wright	4	Danmeier	66	Coleman	90-39.5
1980	Turner	6	Danmeier	81	Coleman	81-38.8
1981	Teal, Hannon	4	Danmeier	97	Coleman	88-41.4
1982	Teal	4	Danmeier	47	Coleman	58-41.1
1983	Turner, Swain	6	Ricardo	108	Coleman	91-41.5
1984	Bess	3	Stenerud	90	Coleman	82-42.2
1985	Turner	5	Stenerud	86	Coleman	67-42.8
1986	Holt	8	C. Nelson	110	Coleman	67-41.4
1987	Browner	6	C. Nelson	75	Coleman	45-39.7
1988	Lee	8	C. Nelson	108	Scribner	84-40.3

1989 NFL TEAM SCHEDULES

(All times local. All games Sunday unless otherwise noted.)

ATLANTA FALCONS

Sept. 10	Los Angeles Rams	1:00
Sept. 17	Dallas	1:00
Sept. 24	at Indianapolis	12:00
Oct. 1	vs Green Bay at Milw.	12:00
Oct. 8	at Los Angeles Rams	1:00
Oct. 15	New England	1:00
Oct. 22	at Phoenix	1:00
Oct. 29	at New Orleans	12:00
Nov. 5	Buffalo	1:00
Nov. 12	at San Francisco	1:00
Nov. 19	New Orleans	1:00
Nov. 26	at New York Jets	1:00
Dec. 3	San Francisco	1:00
Dec. 10	at Minnesota	12:00
Dec. 17	Washington	4:00
Dec. 24	Detroit	1:00

BUFFALO BILLS

Sept. 10	at Miami	4:00
Sept. 18	Denver (Mon.)	9:00
Sept. 24	at Houston	12:00
Oct. 1	New England	1:00
Oct. 8	at Indianapolis	12:00
Oct. 16	L.A. Rams (Mon.)	9:00
Oct. 22	New York Jets	1:00
Oct. 29	Miami	1:00
Nov. 5	at Atlanta	1:00
Nov. 12	Indianapolis	1:00
Nov. 19	at New England	1:00
Nov. 26	Cincinnati	1:00
Dec. 4	at Seattle (Mon.)	6:00
Dec. 10	New Orleans	1:00
Dec. 17	at San Francisco	1:00
Dec. 23	at New York Jets (Sat.)	12:30

CHICAGO BEARS

Sept. 10	Cincinnati	12:00
Sept. 17	Minnesota	3:00
Sept. 24	at Detroit	1:00
Oct. 2	Philadelphia (Mon.)	8:00
Oct. 8	at Tampa Bay	1:00
Oct. 15	Houston	12:00
Oct. 23	at Cleveland (Mon.)	9:00
Oct. 29	Los Angeles Rams	12:00
Nov. 5	at Green Bay	12:00
Nov. 12	at Pittsburgh	1:00
Nov. 19	Tampa Bay	12:00
Nov. 26	at Washington	4:00
Dec. 3	at Minnesota (night)	7:00
Dec. 10	Detroit	12:00
Dec. 17	Green Bay	12:00
Dec. 24	at San Francisco	1:00

CINCINNATI BENGALS

Sept.	10	at Chicago	12:00
Sept.	17	Pittsburgh	1:00
Sept.	25	Cleveland (Mon.)	9:00
Oct.	1	at Kansas City	12:00
Oct.	8	at Pittsburgh	1:00
Oct.	15	Miami	1:00
Oct.	22	Indianapolis	1:00
Oct.	29	Tampa Bay	1:00
Nov.	5	at Los Angeles Raiders	1:00
Nov.	13	at Houston (Mon.)	8:00
Nov.	19	Detroit	1:00
Nov.	26	at Buffalo	1:00
Dec.	3	at Cleveland	1:00
Dec.	10	Seattle	1:00
Dec.	17	Houston	1:00
Dec.	25	at Minnesota (Mon.)	8:00

CLEVELAND BROWNS

Sept.	10	at Pittsburgh	4:00
Sept.	17	New York Jets	1:00
Sept.	25	at Cincinnati (Mon.)	9:00
Oct.	1	Denver	1:00
Oct.	8	at Miami	1:00
Oct.	15	Pittsburgh	4:00
Oct.	23	Chicago (Mon.)	9:00
Oct.	29	Houston	1:00
Nov.	5	at Tampa Bay	1:00
Nov.	12	at Seattle	1:00
Nov.	19	Kansas City	1:00
Nov.	23	at Detroit (Thanks.)	12:30
Dec.	3	Cincinnati	1:00
Dec.	10	at Indianapolis	4:00
Dec.	17	Minnesota	1:00
Dec.	23	at Houston (Sat. nt.)	7:00

DALLAS COWBOYS

Sept.	10	at New Orleans	12:00
Sept.	17	at Atlanta	1:00
Sept.	24	Washington	12:00
Oct.	1	New York Giants	3:00
Oct.	8	at Green Bay	12:00
Oct.	15	San Francisco	12:00
Oct.	22	at Kansas City	12:00
Oct.	29	Phoenix	12:00
Nov.	5	at Washington (night)	8:00
Nov.	12	at Phoenix	2:00
Nov.	19	Miami	12:00
Nov.	23	Phila. (Thanks.)	3:00
Dec.	3	Los Angeles Rams	12:00
Dec.	10	at Philadelphia	1:00
Dec.	16	at N.Y. Giants (Sat.)	12:30
Dec.	24	Green Bay	12:00

DENVER BRONCOS

Sept.	10	Kansas City	2:00
Sept.	18	at Buffalo (Mon.)	9:00
Sept.	24	Los Angeles Raiders	2:00
Oct.	1	at Cleveland	1:00
Oct.	8	San Diego	2:00
Oct.	15	Indianapolis	2:00
Oct.	22	at Seattle	1:00
Oct.	29	Philadelphia	2:00
Nov.	5	Pittsburgh	2:00
Nov.	12	at Kansas City	12:00
Nov.	20	at Washington (Mon.)	9:00
Nov.	26	Seattle	2:00
Dec.	3	at Los Angeles Raiders	1:00
Dec.	10	New York Giants	2:00
Dec.	16	at Phoenix (Sat.)	2:00
Dec.	24	at San Diego	1:00

DETROIT LIONS

Sept.	10	Phoenix	1:00
Sept.	17	at New York Giants	4:00
Sept.	24	Chicago	1:00
Oct.	1	Pittsburgh	1:00
Oct.	8	at Minnesota	12:00
Oct.	15	at Tampa Bay	1:00
Oct.	22	Minnesota	1:00
Oct.	29	vs Green Bay at Milw.	12:00
Nov.	5	at Houston	12:00
Nov.	12	Green Bay	1:00
Nov.	19	at Cincinnati	1:00
Nov.	23	Cleveland (Thanks.)	12:30
Dec.	3	New Orleans	1:00
Dec.	10	at Chicago	12:00
Dec.	17	Tampa Bay	1:00
Dec.	24	at Atlanta	1:00

GREEN BAY PACKERS

Sept.	10	Tampa Bay	12:00
Sept.	17	New Orleans	12:00
Sept.	24	at Los Angeles Rams	1:00
Oct.	1	Atlanta at Milw.	12:00
Oct.	8	Dallas	12:00
Oct.	15	at Minnesota	12:00
Oct.	22	at Miami	1:00
Oct.	29	Detroit at Milw.	12:00
Nov.	5	Chicago	12:00
Nov.	12	at Detroit	1:00
Nov.	19	at San Francisco	1:00
Nov.	26	Minnesota at Milw.	12:00
Dec.	3	at Tampa Bay	1:00
Dec.	10	Kansas City	12:00
Dec.	17	at Chicago	12:00
Dec.	24	at Dallas	12:00

HOUSTON OILERS

Sept.	10	at Minnesota	3:00
Sept.	17	at San Diego	1:00
Sept.	24	Buffalo	12:00
Oct.	1	Miami	12:00
Oct.	8	at New England	1:00
Oct.	15	at Chicago	12:00
Oct.	22	Pittsburgh	12:00
Oct.	29	at Cleveland	1:00
Nov.	5	Detroit	12:00
Nov.	13	Cincinnati (Mon.)	8:00
Nov.	19	Los Angeles Raiders	3:00
Nov.	26	at Kansas City	12:00
Dec.	3	at Pittsburgh	1:00
Dec.	10	Tampa Bay	12:00
Dec.	17	at Cincinnati	1:00
Dec.	23	Cleveland (Sat. nt.)	7:00

INDIANAPOLIS COLTS

Sept.	10	San Francisco	12:00
Sept.	17	at Los Angeles Rams	1:00
Sept.	24	Atlanta	12:00
Oct.	1	at N.Y. Jets	1:00
Oct.	8	Buffalo	12:00
Oct.	15	at Denver	2:00
Oct.	22	at Cincinnati	1:00
Oct.	29	New England	1:00
Nov.	5	at Miami	1:00
Nov.	12	at Buffalo	1:00
Nov.	19	N.Y. Jets (night)	8:00
Nov.	26	San Diego	1:00
Dec.	3	at New England	1:00
Dec.	10	Cleveland	4:00
Dec.	17	Miami	1:00
Dec.	24	at New Orleans	12:00

KANSAS CITY CHIEFS

Sept.	10	at Denver	2:00
Sept.	17	Los Angeles Raiders	12:00
Sept.	24	at San Diego	1:00
Oct.	1	Cincinnati	12:00
Oct.	8	at Seattle	1:00
Oct.	15	at Los Angeles Raiders	1:00
Oct.	22	Dallas	12:00
Oct.	29	at Pittsburgh	1:00
Nov.	5	Seattle	12:00
Nov.	12	Denver	12:00
Nov.	19	at Cleveland	1:00
Nov.	26	Houston	12:00
Dec.	3	Miami	12:00
Dec.	10	at Green Bay	12:00
Dec.	17	San Diego	12:00
Dec.	24	at Miami	1:00

LOS ANGELES RAIDERS

Sept.	10	San Diego	1:00
Sept.	17	at Kansas City	12:00
Sept.	24	at Denver	2:00
Oct.	1	Seattle	1:00
Oct.	9	at N.Y. Jets (Mon.)	9:00
Oct.	15	Kansas City	1:00
Oct.	22	at Philadelphia	1:00
Oct.	29	Washington	1:00
Nov.	5	Cincinnati	1:00
Nov.	12	at San Diego (night)	5:00
Nov.	19	at Houston	3:00
Nov.	26	New England	1:00
Dec.	3	Denver	1:00
Dec.	10	Phoenix	1:00
Dec.	17	at Seattle (night)	5:00
Dec.	24	at New York Giants	1:00

LOS ANGELES RAMS

Sept.	10	at Atlanta	1:00
Sept.	17	Indianapolis	1:00
Sept.	24	Green Bay	1:00
Oct.	1	at San Francisco	1:00
Oct.	8	Atlanta	1:00
Oct.	16	at Buffalo (Mon.)	9:00
Oct.	22	New Orleans	1:00
Oct.	29	at Chicago	12:00
Nov.	5	at Minnesota	12:00
Nov.	12	New York Giants	1:00
Nov.	19	Phoenix	1:00
Nov.	26	at N.Orleans (night)	7:00
Dec.	3	at Dallas	12:00
Dec.	11	San Fran. (Mon.)	6:00
Dec.	17	New York Jets	1:00
Dec.	24	at New England	1:00

MIAMI DOLPHINS

Sept.	10	Buffalo	4:00
Sept.	17	at New England	1:00
Sept.	24	New York Jets	4:00
Oct.	1	at Houston	12:00
Oct.	8	Cleveland	1:00
Oct.	15	at Cincinnati	1:00
Oct.	22	Green Bay	1:00
Oct.	29	at Buffalo	1:00
Nov.	5	Indianapolis	1:00
Nov.	12	at New York Jets	1:00
Nov.	19	at Dallas	12:00
Nov.	26	Pittsburgh	1:00
Dec.	3	at Kansas City	12:00
Dec.	10	New Eng. (night)	8:00
Dec.	17	at Indianapolis	1:00
Dec.	24	Kansas City	1:00

NEW ENGLAND PATRIOTS

Sept. 10	at	New York Jets	4:00
Sept. 17		Miami	1:00
Sept. 24		Seattle	1:00
Oct. 1	at	Buffalo	1:00
Oct. 8		Houston	1:00
Oct. 15	at	Atlanta	1:00
Oct. 22	at	San Francisco	1:00
Oct. 29	at	Indianapolis	1:00
Nov. 5		New York Jets	1:00
Nov. 12		New Orleans	1:00
Nov. 19		Buffalo	1:00
Nov. 26	at	L.A. Raiders	1:00
Dec. 3		Indianapolis	1:00
Dec. 10	at	Miami (night)	8:00
Dec. 17	at	Pittsburgh	1:00
Dec. 24		Los Angeles Rams	1:00

PHILADELPHIA EAGLES

Sept. 10		Seattle	4:00
Sept. 17	at	Washington	1:00
Sept. 24		San Francisco	1:00
Oct. 2	at	Chicago (Mon.)	8:00
Oct. 8		New York Giants	1:00
Oct. 15	at	Phoenix	1:00
Oct. 22		Los Angeles Raiders	1:00
Oct. 29	at	Denver	2:00
Nov. 5	at	San Diego	1:00
Nov. 12		Washington	1:00
Nov. 19		Minnesota	1:00
Nov. 23	at	Dallas (Thanks.)	3:00
Dec. 3	at	New York Giants	1:00
Dec. 10		Dallas	1:00
Dec. 18	at	New Orleans (Mon.)	8:00
Dec. 24		Phoenix	1:00

SAN FRANCISCO 49ERS

Sept. 10	at	Indianapolis	12:00
Sept. 17	at	Tampa Bay	4:00
Sept. 24	at	Philadelphia	1:00
Oct. 1		Los Angeles Rams	1:00
Oct. 8		New Orleans	1:00
Oct. 15	at	Dallas	12:00
Oct. 22		New England	1:00
Oct. 29	at	New York Jets	4:00
Nov. 6	at	N. Orleans (Mon.)	8:00
Nov. 12		Atlanta	1:00
Nov. 19		Green Bay	1:00
Nov. 27		N.Y. Giants (Mon.)	6:00
Dec. 3	at	Atlanta	1:00
Dec. 11	at	L.A. Rams (Mon.)	6:00
Dec. 17		Buffalo	1:00
Dec. 24		Chicago	1:00

NEW ORLEANS SAINTS

Sept. 10		Dallas	12:00
Sept. 17	at	Green Bay	12:00
Sept. 24	at	Tampa Bay	1:00
Oct. 1		Washington	12:00
Oct. 8	at	San Francisco	1:00
Oct. 15		New York Jets	3:00
Oct. 22	at	Los Angeles Rams	1:00
Oct. 29		Atlanta	12:00
Nov. 6		San Fran. (Mon.)	8:00
Nov. 12	at	New England	1:00
Nov. 19	at	Atlanta	1:00
Nov. 26		L.A. Rams (night)	7:00
Dec. 3	at	Detroit	1:00
Dec. 10	at	Buffalo	1:00
Dec. 18		Philadelphia (Mon.)	8:00
Dec. 24		Indianapolis	12:00

PHOENIX CARDINALS

Sept. 10	at	Detroit	1:00
Sept. 17	at	Seattle	1:00
Sept. 24	at	New York Giants	1:00
Oct. 1		San Diego	1:00
Oct. 8	at	Washington	4:00
Oct. 15		Philadelphia	1:00
Oct. 22		Atlanta	1:00
Oct. 29	at	Dallas	12:00
Nov. 5		New York Giants	2:00
Nov. 12		Dallas	2:00
Nov. 19	at	Los Angeles Rams	1:00
Nov. 26		Tampa Bay	2:00
Dec. 3		Washington	2:00
Dec. 10	at	Los Angeles Raiders	1:00
Dec. 16		Denver (Sat.)	2:00
Dec. 24	at	Philadelphia	1:00

SEATTLE SEAHAWKS

Sept. 10	at	Philadelphia	4:00
Sept. 17		Phoenix	1:00
Sept. 24	at	New England	1:00
Oct. 1	at	Los Angeles Raiders	1:00
Oct. 8		Kansas City	1:00
Oct. 15	at	San Diego	1:00
Oct. 22		Denver	1:00
Oct. 29		San Diego	1:00
Nov. 5	at	Kansas City	12:00
Nov. 12		Cleveland	1:00
Nov. 19	at	New York Giants	4:00
Nov. 26	at	Denver	2:00
Dec. 4		Buffalo (Mon.)	6:00
Dec. 10	at	Cincinnati	1:00
Dec. 17		Los Angeles Raiders (night)	5:00
Dec. 23		Washington (Sat.)	1:00

NEW YORK GIANTS

Sept. 11	at	Washington (Mon.)	9:00
Sept. 17		Detroit	4:00
Sept. 24		Phoenix	1:00
Oct. 1	at	Dallas	3:00
Oct. 8	at	Philadelphia	1:00
Oct. 15		Washington	1:00
Oct. 22	at	San Diego	1:00
Oct. 30		Minnesota (Mon.)	9:00
Nov. 5	at	Phoenix	2:00
Nov. 12	at	Los Angeles Rams	1:00
Nov. 19		Seattle	4:00
Nov. 27	at	San Fran. (Mon.)	6:00
Dec. 3		Philadelphia	1:00
Dec. 10	at	Denver	2:00
Dec. 16		Dallas (Sat.)	12:30
Dec. 24		Los Angeles Raiders	1:00

PITTSBURGH STEELERS

Sept. 10		Cleveland	4:00
Sept. 17	at	Cincinnati	1:00
Sept. 24		Minnesota	1:00
Oct. 1	at	Detroit	1:00
Oct. 8		Cincinnati	1:00
Oct. 15	at	Cleveland	4:00
Oct. 22	at	Houston	12:00
Oct. 29		Kansas City	1:00
Nov. 5	at	Denver	2:00
Nov. 12		Chicago	1:00
Nov. 19		San Diego	1:00
Nov. 26	at	Miami	1:00
Dec. 3		Houston	1:00
Dec. 10	at	New York Jets	1:00
Dec. 17		New England	1:00
Dec. 24	at	Tampa Bay	1:00

TAMPA BAY BUCCANEERS

Sept. 10	at	Green Bay	12:00
Sept. 17		San Francisco	4:00
Sept. 24		New Orleans	1:00
Oct. 1	at	Minnesota	12:00
Oct. 8		Chicago	1:00
Oct. 15		Detroit	1:00
Oct. 22	at	Washington	1:00
Oct. 29	at	Cincinnati	1:00
Nov. 5		Cleveland	1:00
Nov. 12		Minnesota	1:00
Nov. 19	at	Chicago	12:00
Nov. 26	at	Phoenix	2:00
Dec. 3		Green Bay	1:00
Dec. 10	at	Houston	12:00
Dec. 17	at	Detroit	1:00
Dec. 24		Pittsburgh	1:00

NEW YORK JETS

Sept. 10		New England	4:00
Sept. 17	at	Cleveland	1:00
Sept. 24	at	Miami	4:00
Oct. 1		Indianapolis	1:00
Oct. 9		L.A. Raiders (Mon.)	9:00
Oct. 15	at	New Orleans	3:00
Oct. 22	at	Buffalo	1:00
Oct. 29		San Francisco	4:00
Nov. 5	at	New England	1:00
Nov. 12		Miami	1:00
Nov. 19	at	Indianapolis (night)	8:00
Nov. 26		Atlanta	1:00
Dec. 3	at	San Diego	1:00
Dec. 10		Pittsburgh	1:00
Dec. 17	at	Los Angeles Rams	1:00
Dec. 23		Buffalo (Sat.)	12:30

SAN DIEGO CHARGERS

Sept. 10	at	Los Angeles Raiders	1:00
Sept. 17		Houston	1:00
Sept. 24		Kansas City	1:00
Oct. 1	at	Phoenix	1:00
Oct. 8	at	Denver	2:00
Oct. 15		Seattle	1:00
Oct. 22		New York Giants	1:00
Oct. 29	at	Seattle	1:00
Nov. 5		Philadelphia	1:00
Nov. 12		L.A. Raiders (night)	5:00
Nov. 19	at	Pittsburgh	1:00
Nov. 26	at	Indianapolis	1:00
Dec. 3		New York Jets	1:00
Dec. 10	at	Washington	1 00
Dec. 17	at	Kansas City	12:00
Dec. 24		Denver	1:00

WASHINGTON REDSKINS

Sept. 11		N.Y. Giants (Mon.)	9:00
Sept. 17		Philadelphia	1:00
Sept. 24	at	Dallas	12:00
Oct. 1	at	New Orleans	12:00
Oct. 8		Phoenix	4:00
Oct. 15	at	New York Giants	1:00
Oct. 22		Tampa Bay	1:00
Oct. 29	at	Los Angeles Raiders	1:00
Nov. 5		Dallas (night)	8:00
Nov. 12	at	Philadelphia	1:00
Nov. 20		Denver (Mon.)	9:00
Nov. 26		Chicago	4:00
Dec. 3	at	Phoenix	2:00
Dec. 10		San Diego	1:00
Dec. 17	at	Atlanta	4:00
Dec. 23	at	Seattle (Sat.)	1:00

Brad Nessler

WCCO RADIO 830

Stu Voigt

WCCO radio is the flagship station for the Viking broadcast network. Brad Nessler calls the play-by-play and Stu Voigt is the analyst. Nessler, who was the voice of the Atlanta Falcons for six seasons, is from St. Charles, Minnesota, and a graduate of Mankato State University. He started his broadcast career at KYSM and KEEZ in Mankato and was the sports director of WSB radio in Atlanta. He joined WCCO Radio in 1988. Voigt has done Viking radio broadcasts since 1981. He played for Minnesota for 11 years and was a tight end in the 1973, 1974 and 1976 Super Bowls. He was named tight end on the Vikings Silver Anniversary All-Time Team.

Name — Minnesota Vikings (nickname due to historical ties believed to exist between original Vikings and the area as well as Nordic and Scandinavian ancestry of many area residents).

Franchise Granted — January, 1960

First Season — 1961

Team Colors — Purple and White with Gold trim

Uniforms — Home: Purple helmets with white Viking horns; purple jerseys with white numerals edged in gold; white pants with purple and gold stripe; purple knee stockings. **Road:** Same helmet and pants as at home; white jerseys with purple numerals and purple and gold shoulder stripes; purple knee stockings.

Home Field — Hubert H. Humphrey Metrodome, Minneapolis (capacity 63,000).

Affiliation — National Football League, National Football Conference, Central Division

Championships — Central Division 1968, 69, 70, 71, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 80.

NFL Western Division 1969

National Football League 1969

National Football Conference 1973, 74, 76

Playoff Appearances: 1968, 69, 70, 71, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 80, 82, 87, 88

General Managers — Bert E. Rose, Jr. 1961-1964; James E. Finks 1964-1974; Michael E. Lynn 1975-present.

Head Coaches — Norm Van Brocklin 1961-1966 (29-51-4); Bud Grant 1967-1983, 1985 (158-96-5); Les Steckel 1984 (3-13); Jerry Burns 1986-present (28-19).

Club Record — pre-season, 82-52-2; regular season, 218-179-9; post-season, 13-14. (28 seasons)

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PRE-SEASON

August 12	Kansas City at Memphis, 7:30 (Saturday)
August 21	WASHINGTON, 7 p.m. (Monday, ABC-TV)
August 26	at Los Angeles Rams, 8 p.m. (Saturday)
September 1	CINCINNATI, 7 p.m. (Friday)

REGULAR SEASON

September 10	HOUSTON, 3 p.m.
September 17	at Chicago, 3 p.m.
September 24	at Pittsburgh, noon
October 1	TAMPA BAY, noon
October 8	DETROIT, noon
October 15	GREEN BAY, noon
October 22	at Detroit, noon
October 30	at New York Giants, 8 p.m. (Monday, ABC-TV)
November 5	LOS ANGELES RAMS, noon
November 12	at Tampa Bay, noon
November 19	at Philadelphia, noon
November 26	GREEN BAY at Milwaukee, noon
December 3	CHICAGO, 7 p.m. (ESPN)
December 10	ATLANTA, noon
December 17	at Cleveland, noon
December 25	CINCINNATI, 8 p.m. (Monday, ABC-TV)

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NFL POST-SEASON

December 31	Wild Card games
January 6-7	Divisional Playoff games
January 14	Conference Championship games
January 28	Super Bowl XXIV at New Orleans
February 4	Pro Bowl at Honolulu

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